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HORROR DEVASTATES THE DC UNIVERSE
AS NIGHTMARES BECOME REALITY!

KNIGHT TERRORS

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A TERRIFYING TWO-MONTH EVENT
STARTING WITH JULY'S
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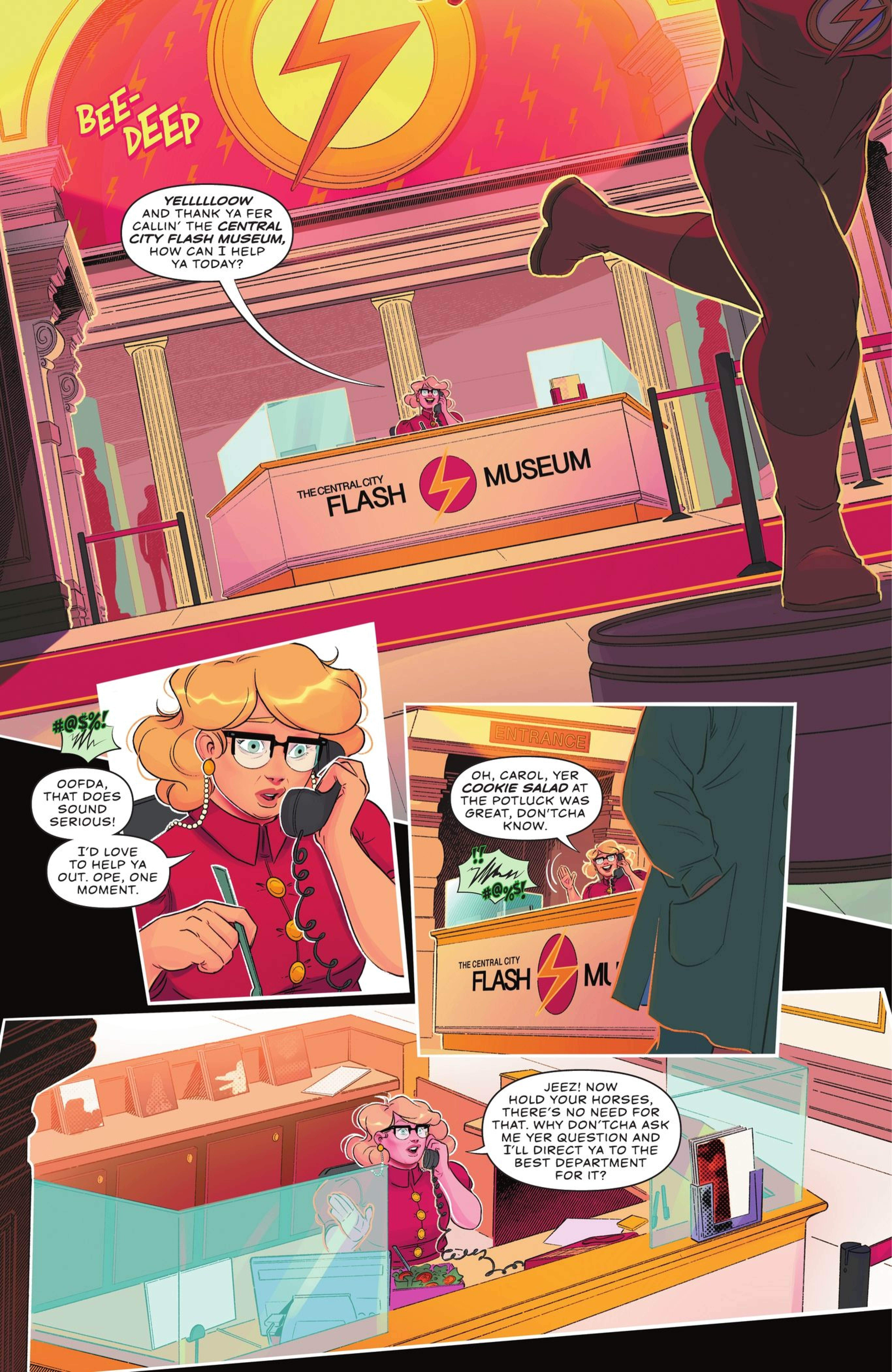
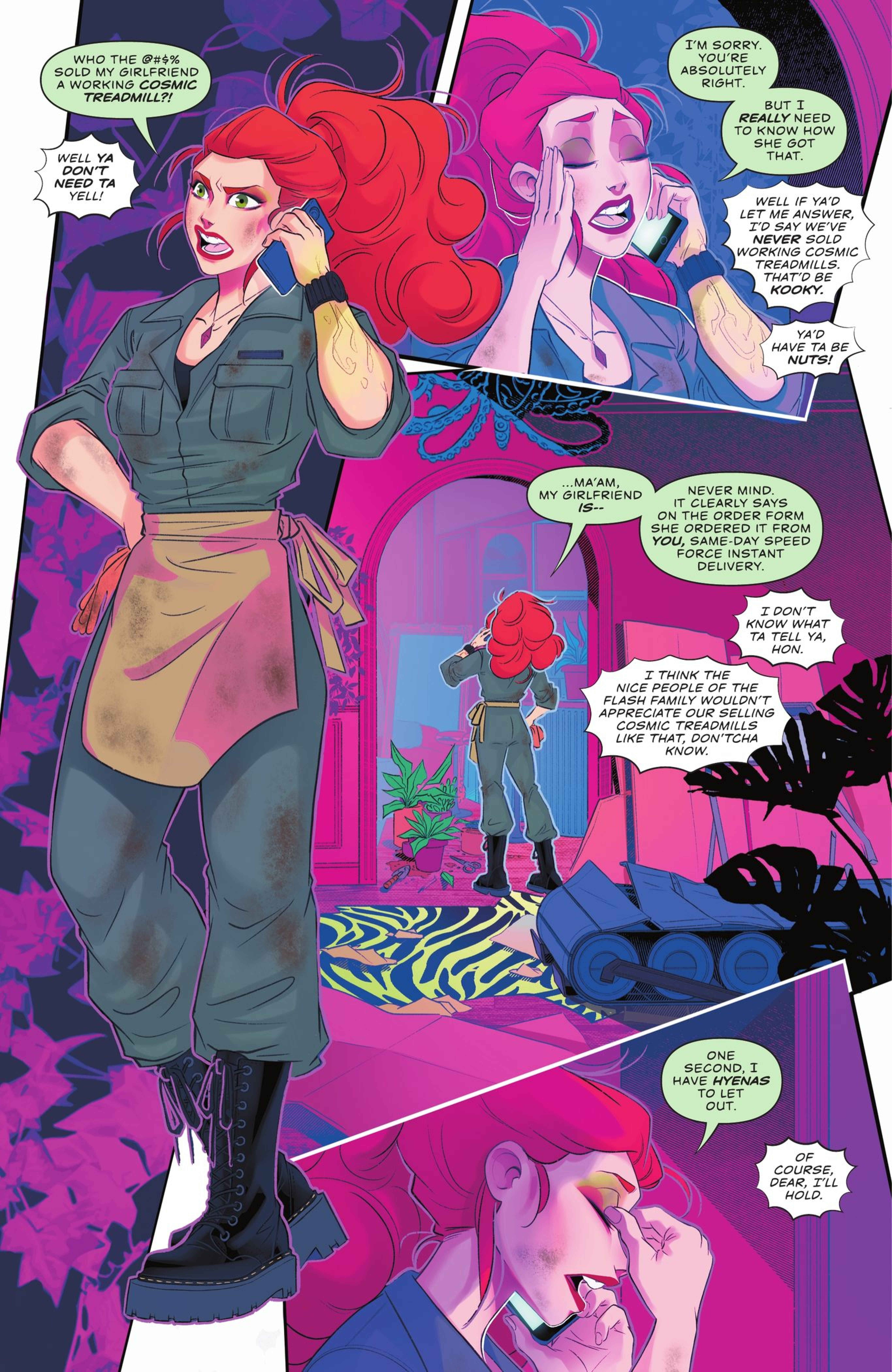
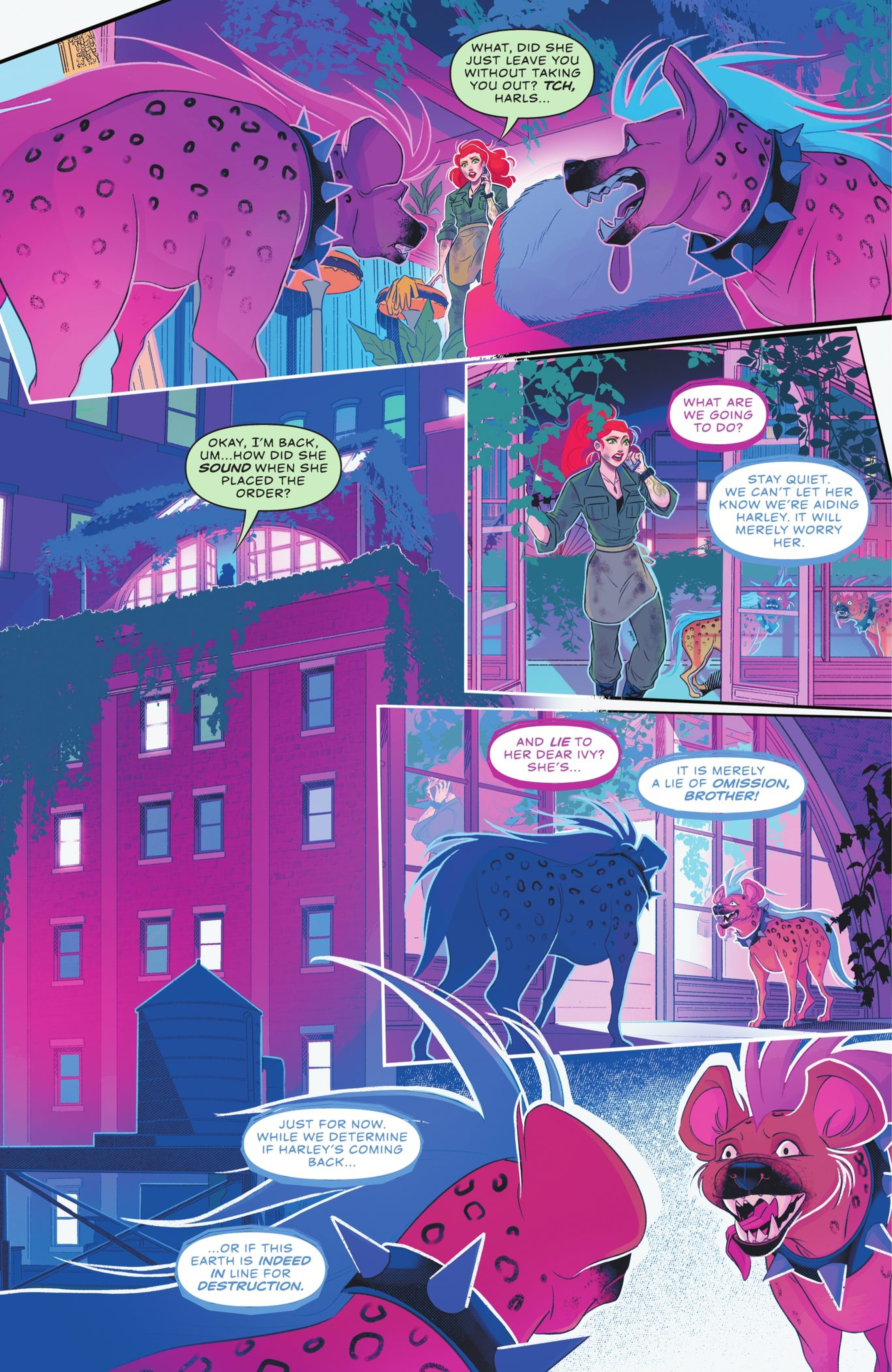
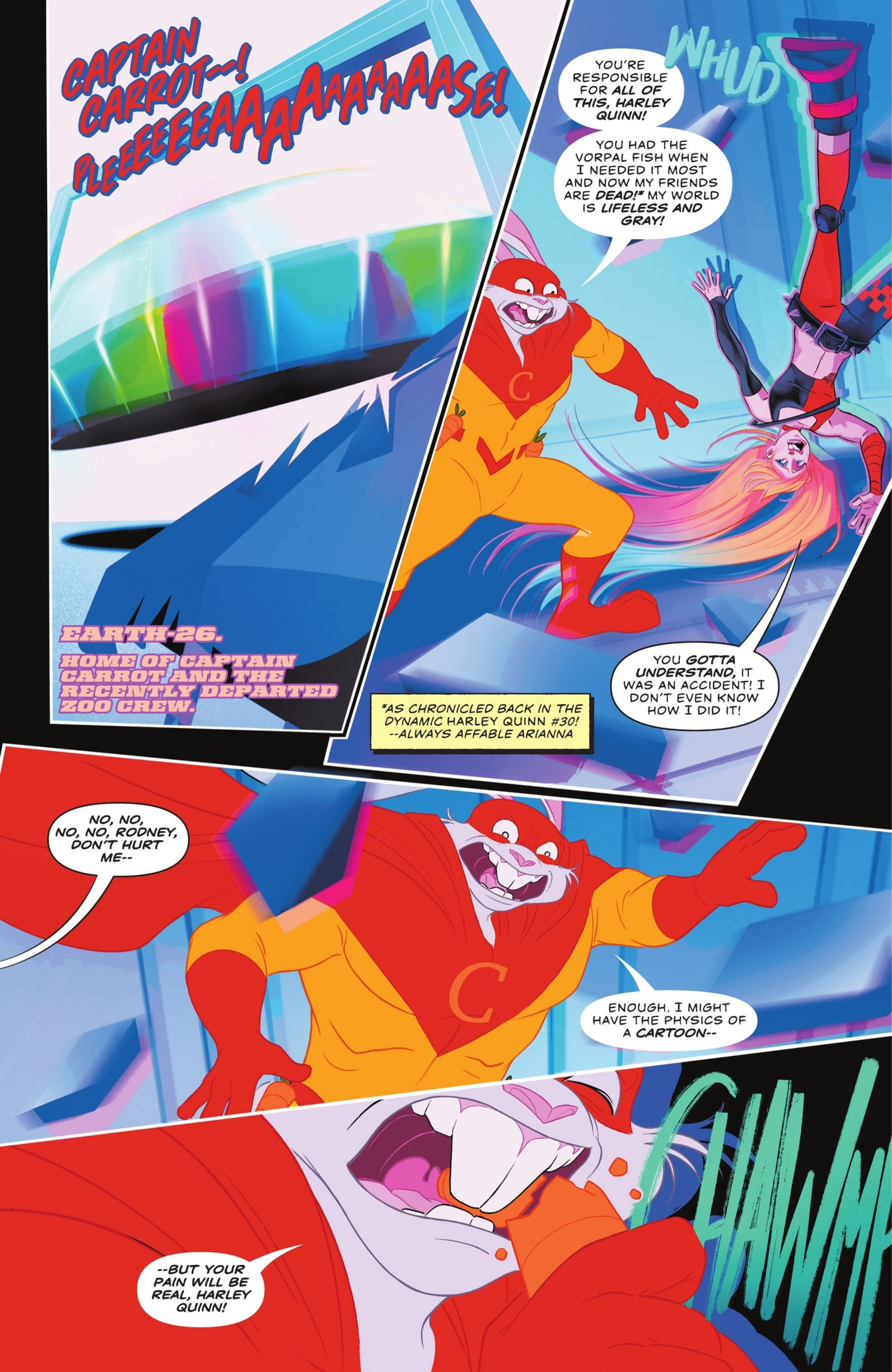
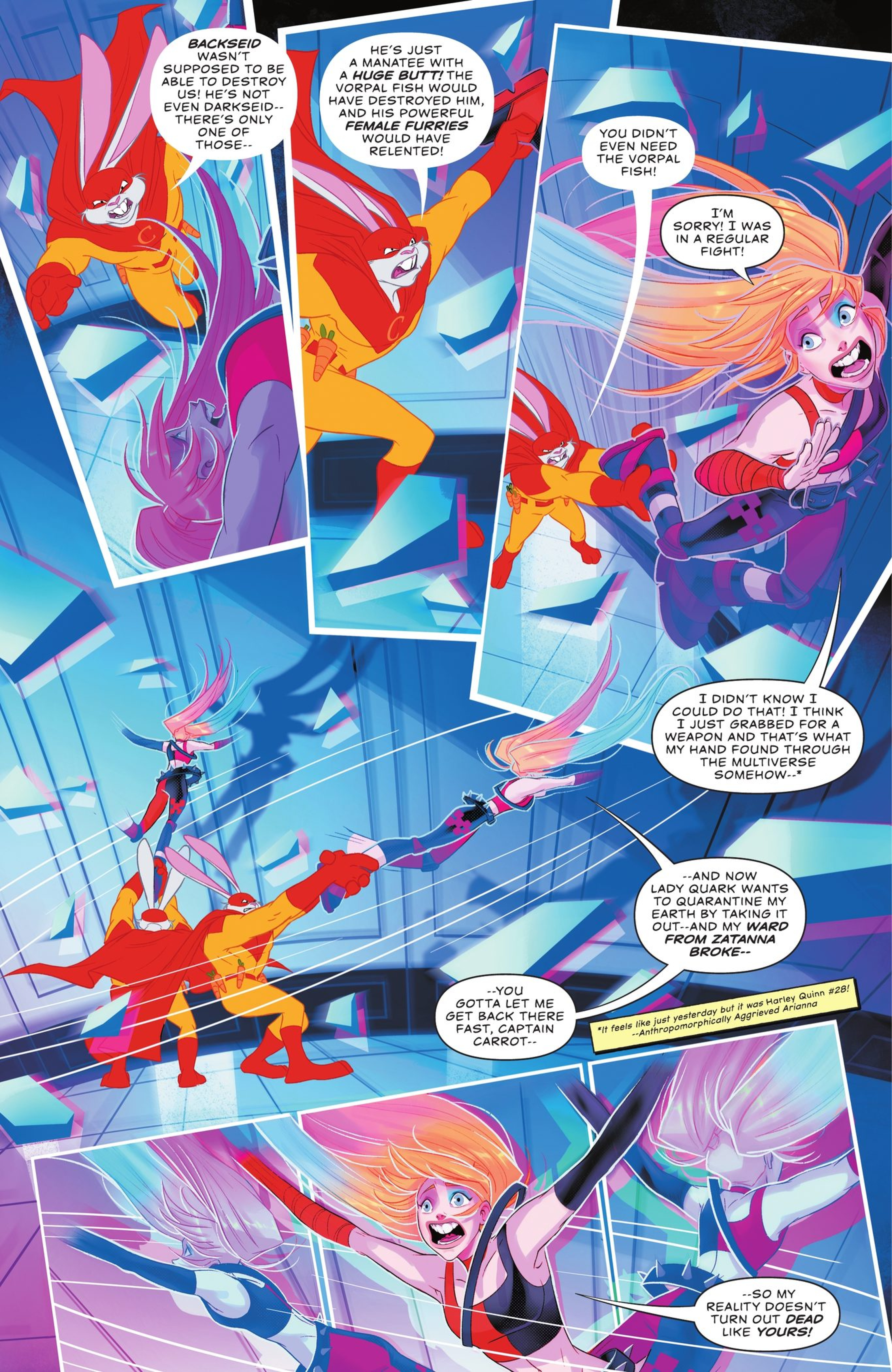
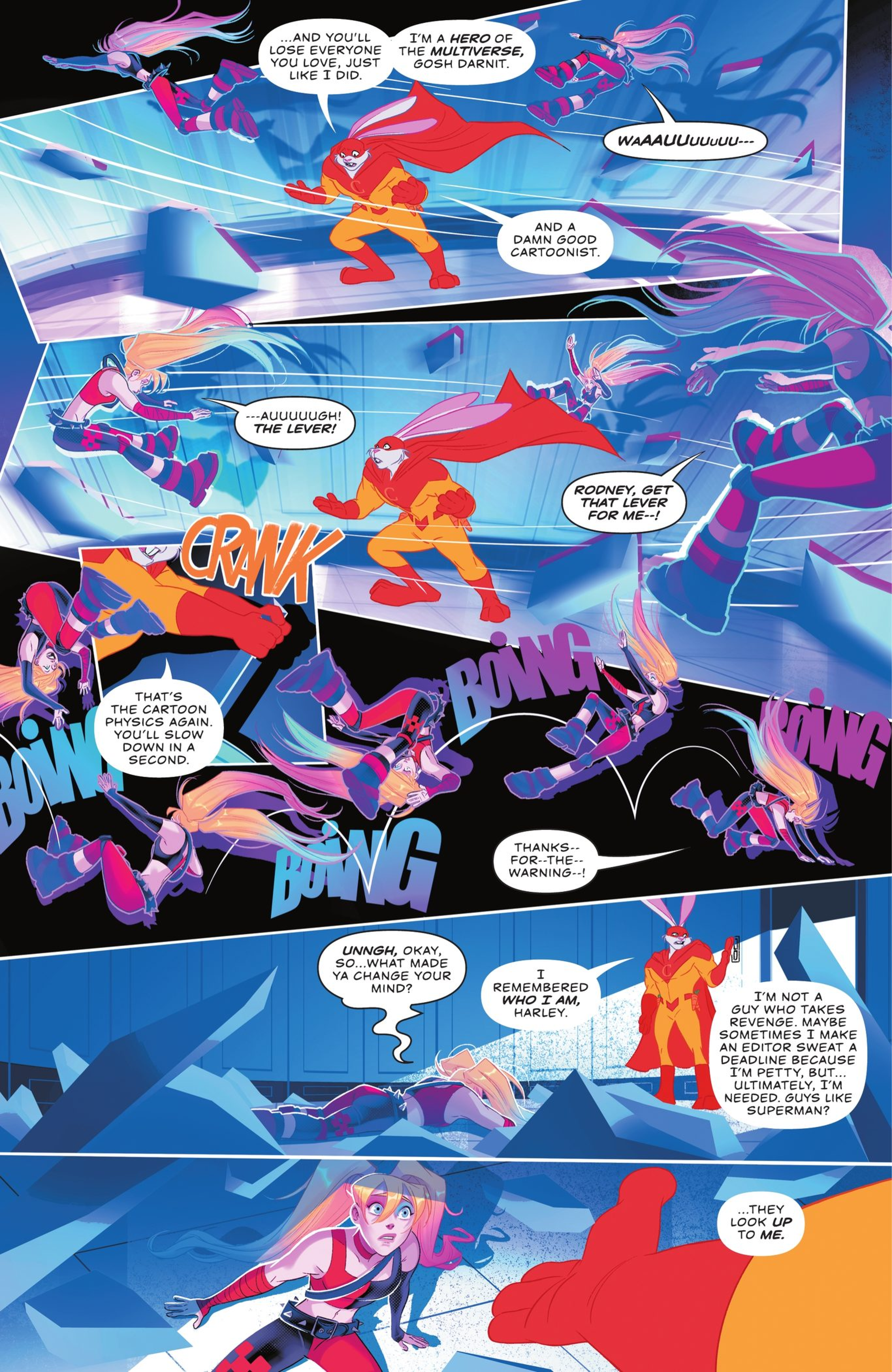

BEE-DEEP
YELLLLLOOW AND THANK YA FER CALLIN' THE CENTRAL CITY FLASH MUSEUM, HOW CAN I HELP YA TODAY?
THE CENTRAL CITY FLASH MUSEUM
#@$%!
OOFDA, THAT DOES SOUND SERIOUS!
I'D LOVE TO HELP YA OUT. OPE, ONE MOMENT.
ENTRANCE
OH, CAROL, YER COOKIE SALAD AT THE POTLUCK WAS GREAT, DON'TCHA KNOW.
!!
#@%$!
THE CENTRAL CITY FLASH MU
JEEZ! NOW HOLD YOUR HORSES, THERE'S NO NEED FOR THAT. WHY DON'TCHA ASK ME YER QUESTION AND I'LL DIRECT YA TO THE BEST DEPARTMENT FOR IT?

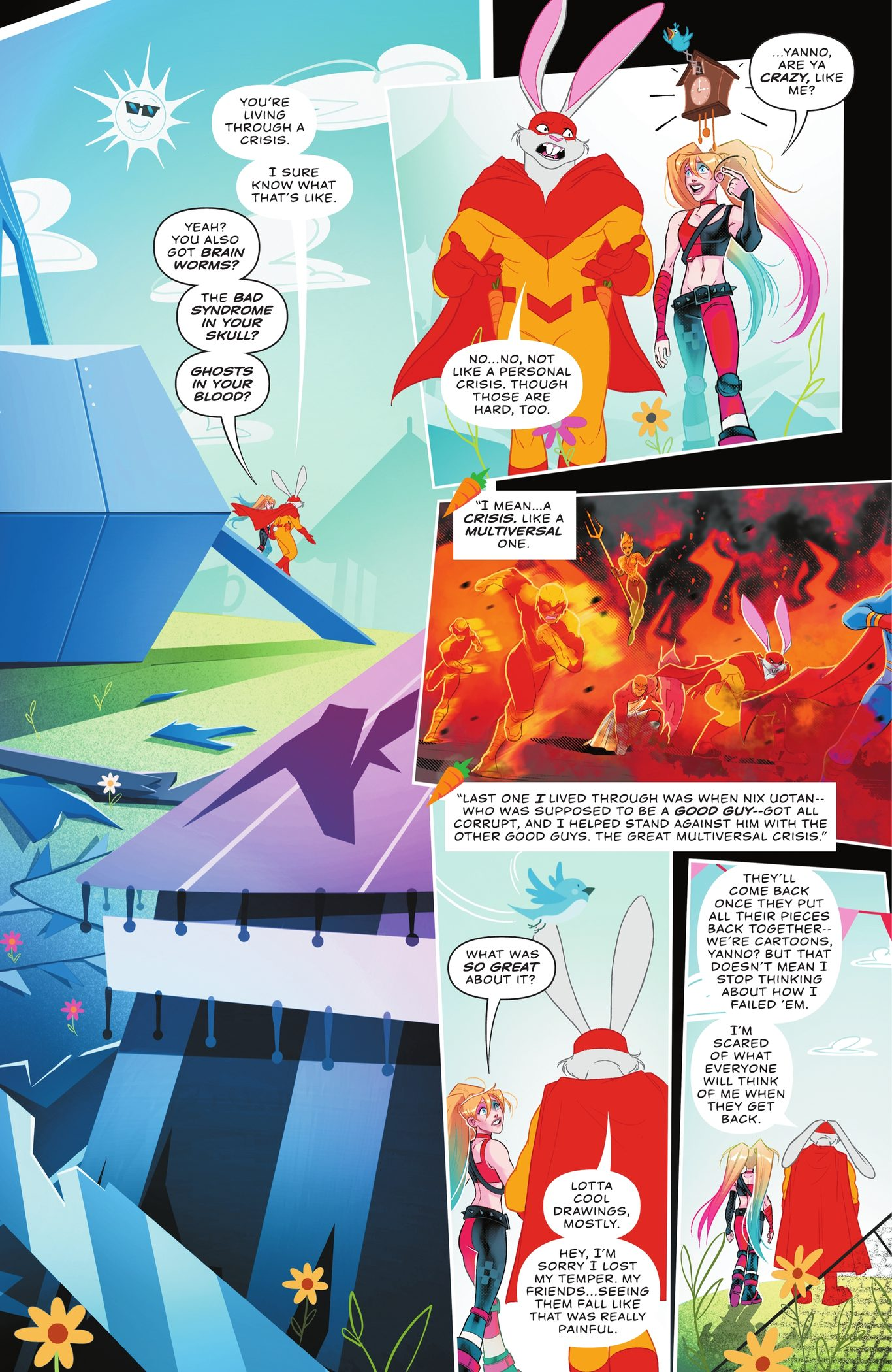

WHO THE @#$% SOLD MY GIRLFRIEND A WORKING COSMIC TREADMILL?!
WELL YA DON'T NEED TA YELL!
I'M SORRY. YOU'RE ABSOLUTELY RIGHT.
BUT I REALLY NEED TO KNOW HOW SHE GOT THAT.
WELL IF YA'D LET ME ANSWER, I'D SAY WE'VE NEVER SOLD WORKING COSMIC TREADMILLS. THAT'D BE KOOKY.
YA'D HAVE TA BE NUTS!
...MA'AM, MY GIRLFRIEND IS--
NEVER MIND. IT CLEARLY SAYS ON THE ORDER FORM SHE ORDERED IT FROM YOU, SAME-DAY SPEED FORCE INSTANT DELIVERY.
I DON'T KNOW WHAT TA TELL YA, HON.
I THINK THE NICE PEOPLE OF THE FLASH FAMILY WOULDN'T APPRECIATE OUR SELLING COSMIC TREADMILLS LIKE THAT, DON'TCHA KNOW.
ONE SECOND, I HAVE HYENAS TO LET OUT.
OF COURSE, DEAR, I'LL HOLD.

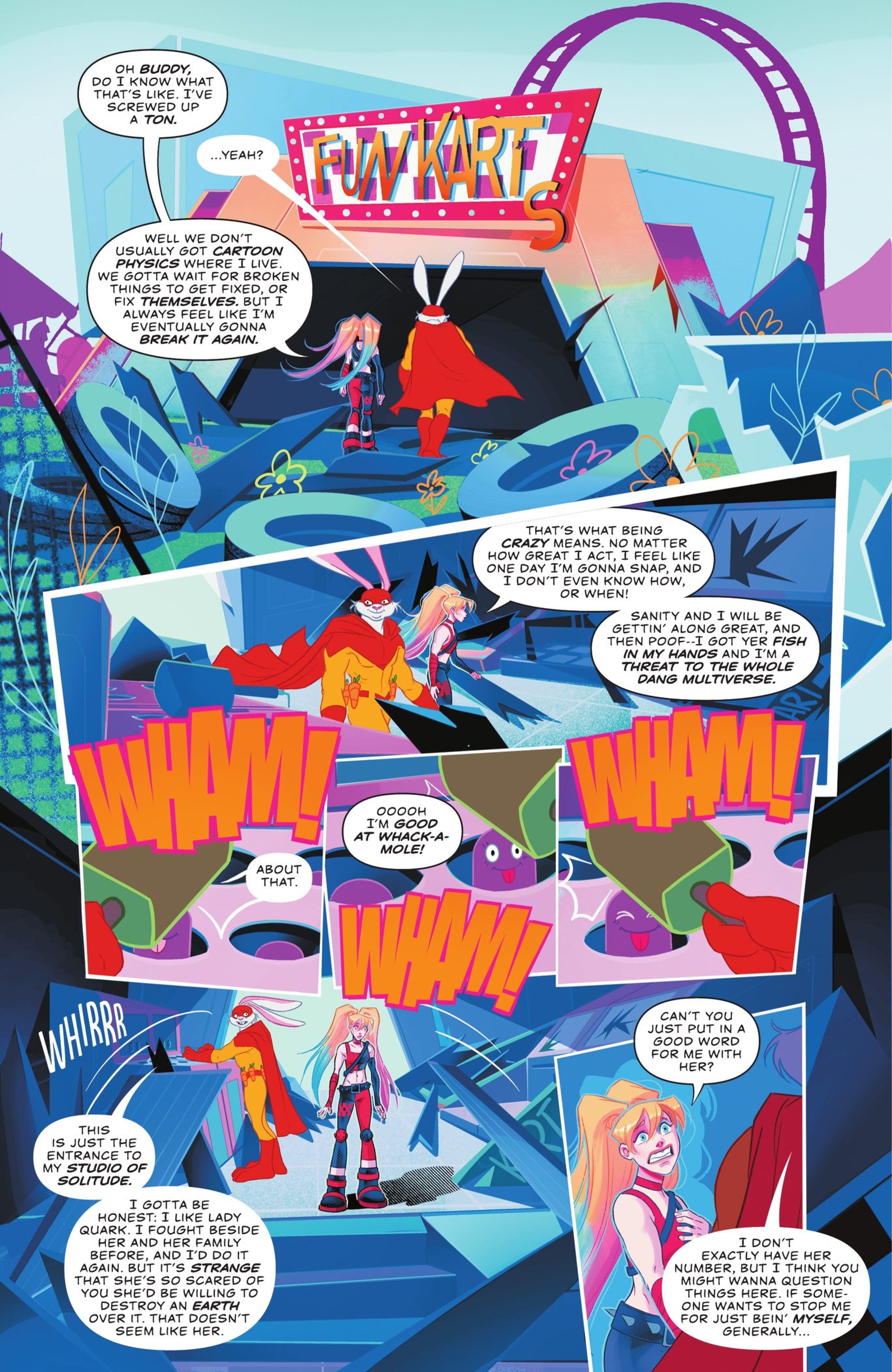

WHAT, DID SHE JUST LEAVE YOU WITHOUT TAKING YOU OUT? *TCH,* HARLS...
OKAY, I'M BACK, UM...HOW DID SHE *SOUND* WHEN SHE PLACED THE ORDER?
WHAT ARE WE GOING TO DO?
STAY QUIET. WE CAN'T LET HER KNOW WE'RE AIDING HARLEY. IT WILL MERELY WORRY HER.
AND *LIE* TO HER DEAR IVY? SHE'S...
IT IS MERELY A LIE OF *OMISSION, BROTHER!*
JUST FOR NOW. WHILE WE DETERMINE IF HARLEY'S COMING BACK...
...OR IF THIS EARTH IS *INDEED IN* LINE FOR *DESTRUCTION.*

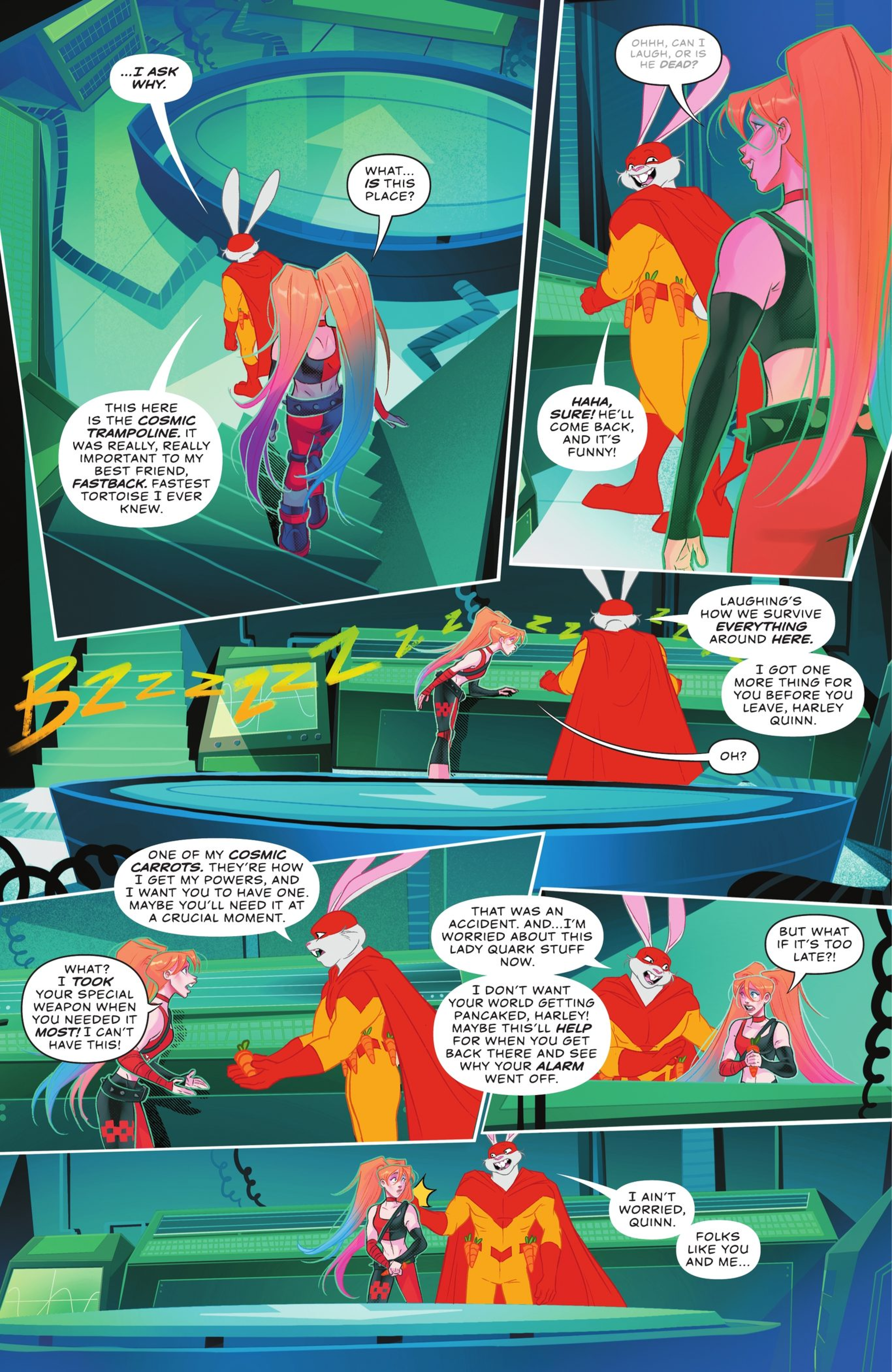

CAPTAIN CARROT--! PLEEEEEEAAAAAAAAAASE!
EARTH-26.
HOME OF CAPTAIN CARROT AND THE RECENTLY DEPARTED ZOO CREW.
WHUD
YOU'RE RESPONSIBLE FOR ALL OF THIS, HARLEY QUINN!
YOU HAD THE VORPAL FISH WHEN I NEEDED IT MOST AND NOW MY FRIENDS ARE DEAD!* MY WORLD IS LIFELESS AND GRAY!
YOU GOTTA UNDERSTAND, IT WAS AN ACCIDENT! I DON'T EVEN KNOW HOW I DID IT!
*AS CHRONICLED BACK IN THE DYNAMIC HARLEY QUINN #30! --ALWAYS AFFABLE ARIANNA
NO, NO, NO, NO, RODNEY, DON'T HURT ME--
ENOUGH. I MIGHT HAVE THE PHYSICS OF A CARTOON--
CHAWMP
--BUT YOUR PAIN WILL BE REAL, HARLEY QUINN!

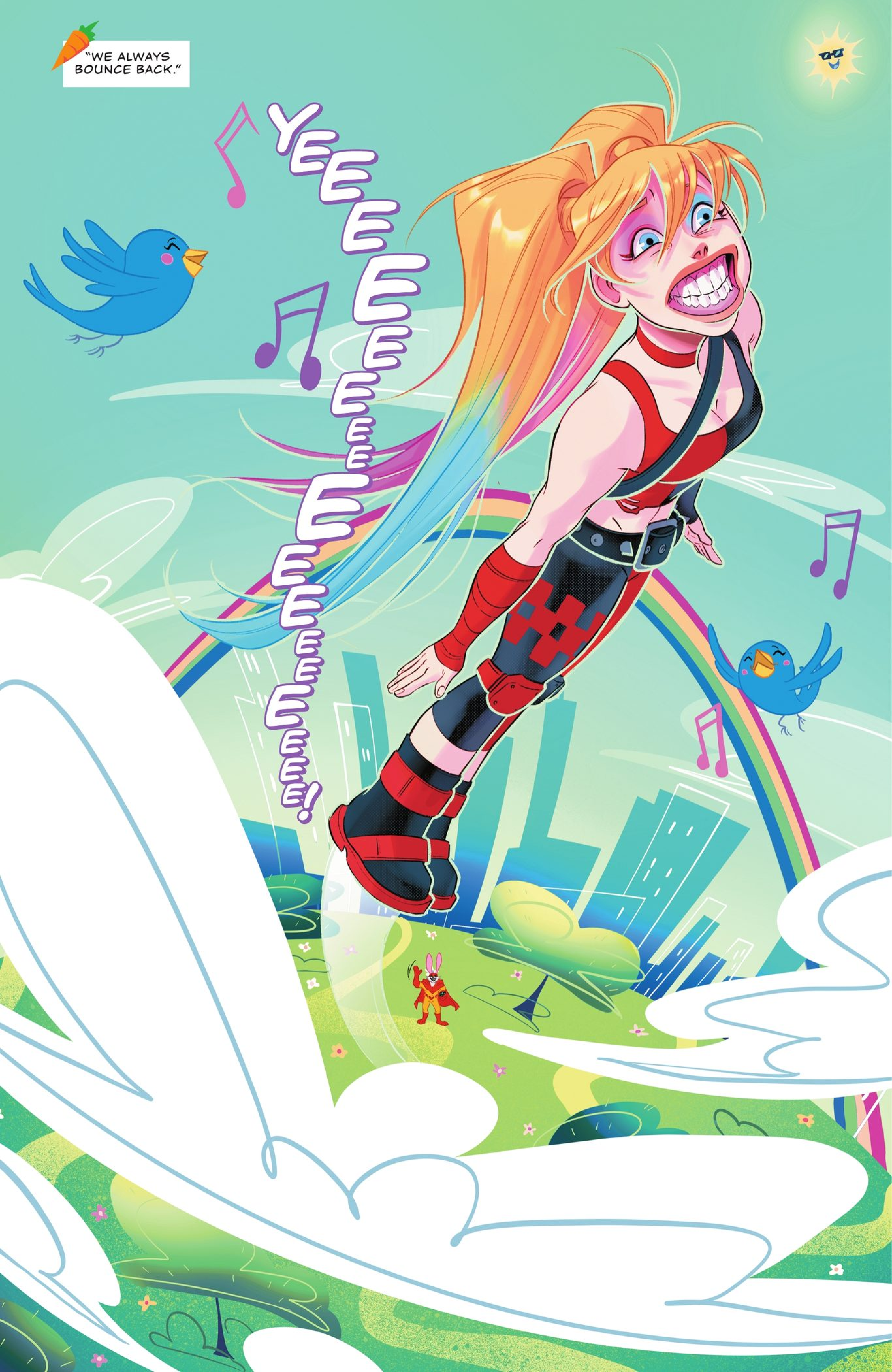

BACKSEID WASN'T SUPPOSED TO BE ABLE TO DESTROY US! HE'S NOT EVEN DARKSEID-- THERE'S ONLY ONE OF THOSE--
HE'S JUST A MANATEE WITH A *HUGE BUTT!* THE VORPAL FISH WOULD HAVE DESTROYED HIM, AND HIS POWERFUL *FEMALE FURRIES* WOULD HAVE RELENTED!
YOU DIDN'T EVEN NEED THE VORPAL FISH!
I'M SORRY! I WAS IN A REGULAR FIGHT!
I DIDN'T KNOW I COULD DO THAT! I THINK I JUST GRABBED FOR A WEAPON AND THAT'S WHAT MY HAND FOUND THROUGH THE MULTIVERSE SOMEHOW--*
--AND NOW LADY QUARK WANTS TO QUARANTINE MY EARTH BY TAKING IT OUT--AND MY *WARD FROM ZATANNA BROKE--*
--YOU GOTTA LET ME GET BACK THERE FAST, CAPTAIN CARROT--
*It feels like just yesterday but it was Harley Quinn #28! --Anthropomorphically Aggrieved Arianna
--SO MY REALITY DOESN'T TURN OUT *DEAD* LIKE *YOURS!*

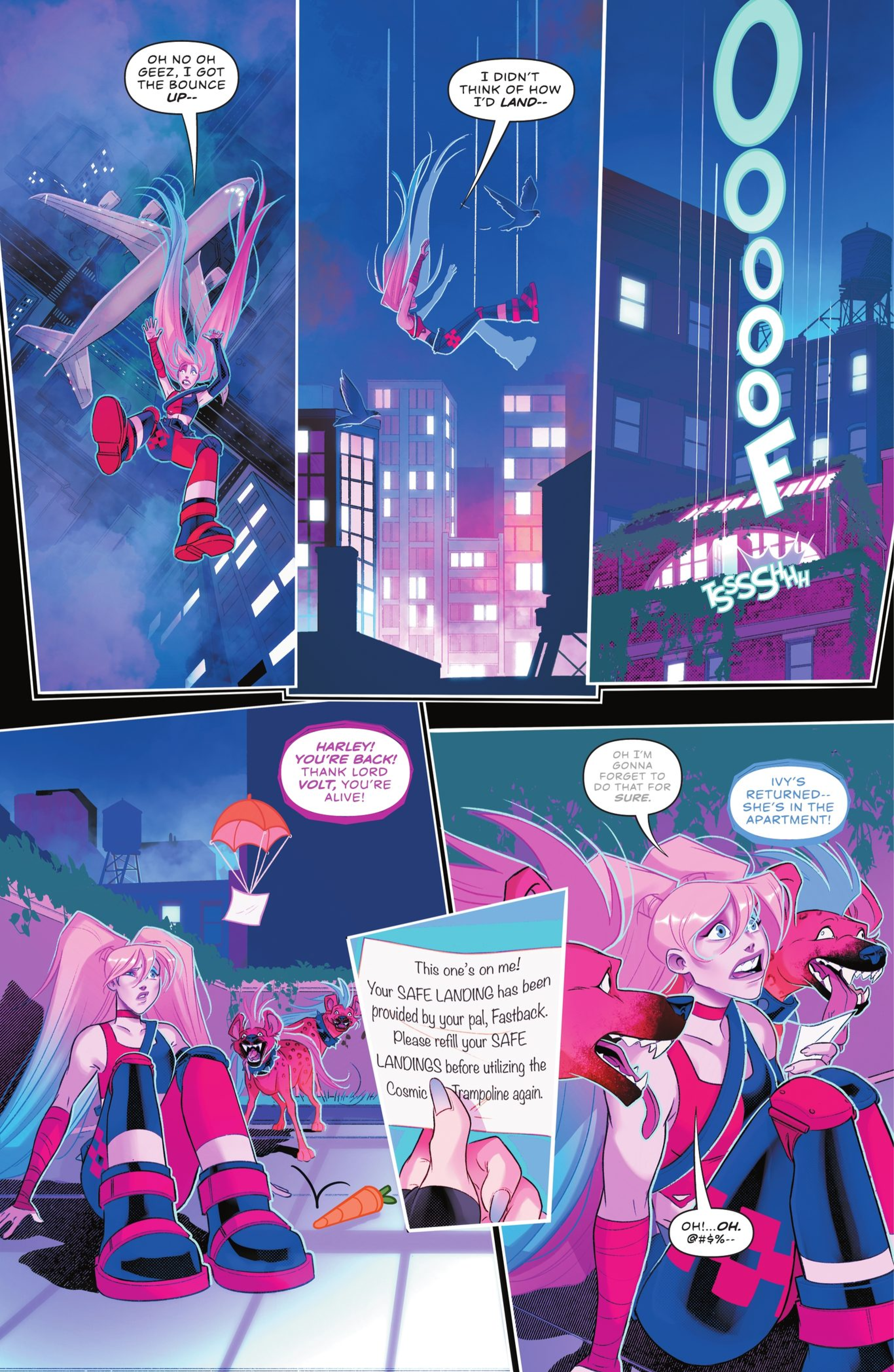

...AND YOU'LL LOSE EVERYONE YOU LOVE, JUST LIKE I DID.
I'M A ***HERO*** OF THE ***MULTIVERSE,*** GOSH DARNIT.
AND A DAMN GOOD CARTOONIST.
WAAAUUuuuuu---
---AUUUUUGH! ***THE LEVER!***
RODNEY, GET THAT LEVER FOR ME--!
CRANK
THAT'S THE CARTOON PHYSICS AGAIN. YOU'LL SLOW DOWN IN A SECOND.
BOING
BOING
BOING
BOING
THANKS-- FOR--THE-- WARNING--!
UNNGH, OKAY, SO...WHAT MADE YA CHANGE YOUR MIND?
I REMEMBERED ***WHO I AM,*** HARLEY.
I'M NOT A GUY WHO TAKES REVENGE. MAYBE SOMETIMES I MAKE AN EDITOR SWEAT A DEADLINE BECAUSE I'M PETTY, BUT... ULTIMATELY, I'M NEEDED. GUYS LIKE SUPERMAN?
...THEY LOOK ***UP*** TO ***ME.***


YOU'RE LIVING THROUGH A CRISIS.
I SURE KNOW WHAT THAT'S LIKE.
YEAH? YOU ALSO GOT **BRAIN WORMS?**
THE **BAD SYNDROME IN YOUR SKULL?**
GHOSTS IN YOUR BLOOD?
...YANNO, ARE YA **CRAZY,** LIKE ME?
NO...NO, NOT LIKE A PERSONAL CRISIS. THOUGH THOSE ARE HARD, TOO.
"I MEAN...A **CRISIS.** LIKE A **MULTIVERSAL** ONE.
"LAST ONE **I** LIVED THROUGH WAS WHEN NIX UOTAN--WHO WAS SUPPOSED TO BE A **GOOD GUY**--GOT ALL CORRUPT, AND I HELPED STAND AGAINST HIM WITH THE OTHER GOOD GUYS. THE GREAT MULTIVERSAL CRISIS."
WHAT WAS **SO GREAT** ABOUT IT?
LOTTA COOL DRAWINGS, MOSTLY.
HEY, I'M SORRY I LOST MY TEMPER. MY FRIENDS...SEEING THEM FALL LIKE THAT WAS REALLY PAINFUL.
THEY'LL COME BACK ONCE THEY PUT ALL THEIR PIECES BACK TOGETHER--WE'RE CARTOONS, YANNO? BUT THAT DOESN'T MEAN I STOP THINKING ABOUT HOW I FAILED 'EM.
I'M SCARED OF WHAT EVERYONE WILL THINK OF ME WHEN THEY GET BACK.


OH BUDDY, DO I KNOW WHAT THAT'S LIKE. I'VE SCREWED UP A TON.
FUN KARTS
...YEAH?
WELL WE DON'T USUALLY GOT CARTOON PHYSICS WHERE I LIVE. WE GOTTA WAIT FOR BROKEN THINGS TO GET FIXED, OR FIX THEMSELVES. BUT I ALWAYS FEEL LIKE I'M EVENTUALLY GONNA BREAK IT AGAIN.
THAT'S WHAT BEING CRAZY MEANS. NO MATTER HOW GREAT I ACT, I FEEL LIKE ONE DAY I'M GONNA SNAP, AND I DON'T EVEN KNOW HOW, OR WHEN!
SANITY AND I WILL BE GETTIN' ALONG GREAT, AND THEN POOF--I GOT YER FISH IN MY HANDS AND I'M A THREAT TO THE WHOLE DANG MULTIVERSE.
WHAM!
ABOUT THAT.
OOOOH I'M GOOD AT WHACK-A-MOLE!
WHAM!
WHAM!
WHIRRR
THIS IS JUST THE ENTRANCE TO MY STUDIO OF SOLITUDE.
I GOTTA BE HONEST: I LIKE LADY QUARK. I FOUGHT BESIDE HER AND HER FAMILY BEFORE, AND I'D DO IT AGAIN. BUT IT'S STRANGE THAT SHE'S SO SCARED OF YOU SHE'D BE WILLING TO DESTROY AN EARTH OVER IT. THAT DOESN'T SEEM LIKE HER.
CAN'T YOU JUST PUT IN A GOOD WORD FOR ME WITH HER?
I DON'T EXACTLY HAVE HER NUMBER, BUT I THINK YOU MIGHT WANNA QUESTION THINGS HERE. IF SOMEONE WANTS TO STOP ME FOR JUST BEIN' MYSELF, GENERALLY...

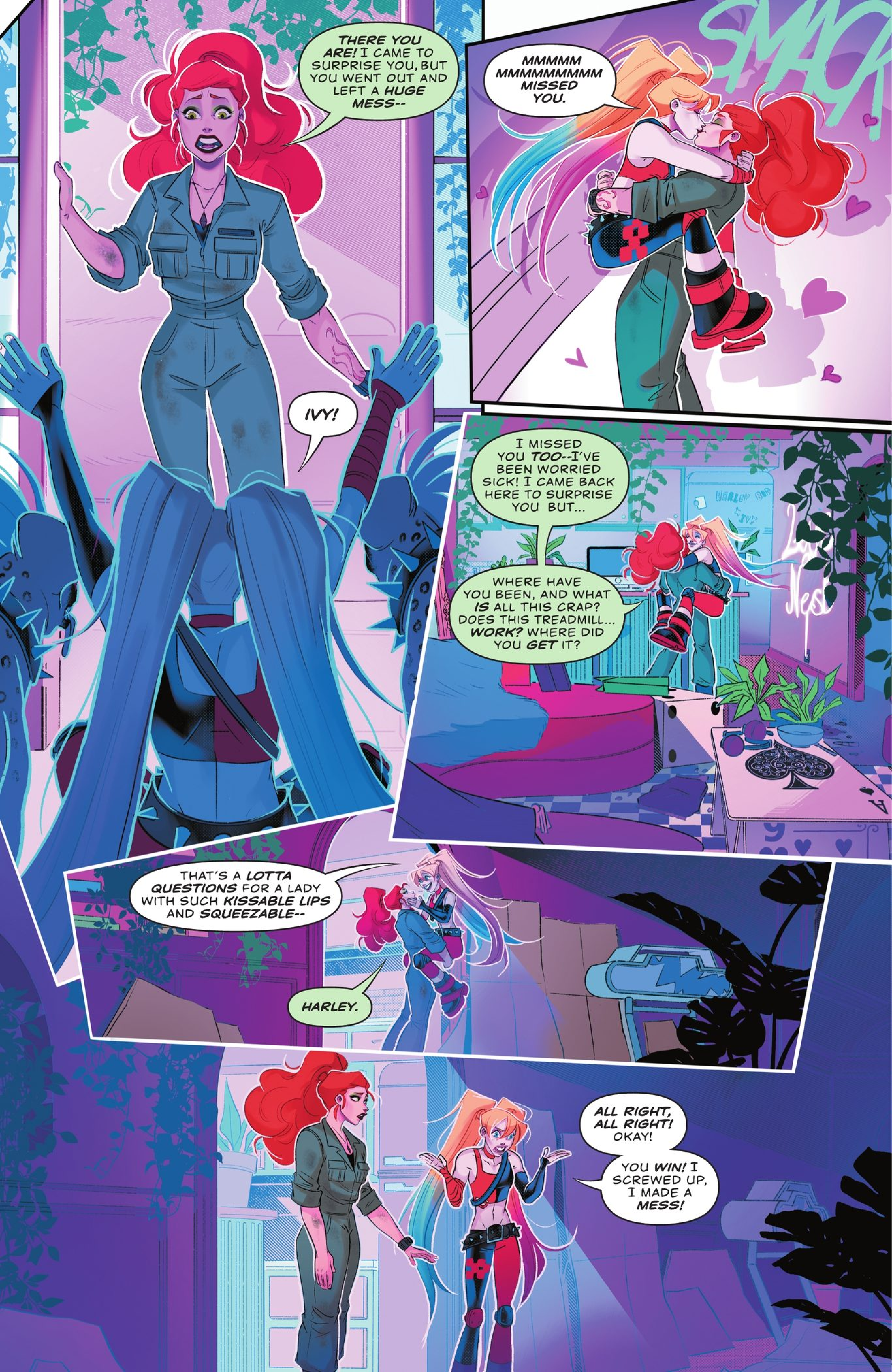

...I ASK *WHY.*
WHAT... *IS* THIS PLACE?
THIS HERE IS THE *COSMIC TRAMPOLINE.* IT WAS REALLY, REALLY IMPORTANT TO MY BEST FRIEND, *FASTBACK.* FASTEST TORTOISE I EVER KNEW.
OHHH, CAN I LAUGH, OR IS HE *DEAD?*
HAHA, SURE! HE'LL COME BACK, AND IT'S FUNNY!
BZZZZZZ ZZZZZZ
LAUGHING'S HOW WE SURVIVE *EVERYTHING* AROUND *HERE.*
I GOT ONE MORE THING FOR YOU BEFORE YOU LEAVE, HARLEY QUINN.
OH?
ONE OF MY *COSMIC CARROTS.* THEY'RE HOW I GET MY POWERS, AND I WANT YOU TO HAVE ONE. MAYBE YOU'LL NEED IT AT A CRUCIAL MOMENT.
WHAT? I *TOOK* YOUR SPECIAL WEAPON WHEN YOU NEEDED IT *MOST!* I CAN'T HAVE THIS!
THAT WAS AN ACCIDENT. AND...I'M WORRIED ABOUT THIS LADY QUARK STUFF NOW.
I DON'T WANT YOUR WORLD GETTING PANCAKED, HARLEY! MAYBE THIS'LL *HELP* FOR WHEN YOU GET BACK THERE AND SEE WHY YOUR *ALARM* WENT OFF.
BUT WHAT IF IT'S TOO LATE?!
I AIN'T WORRIED, QUINN.
FOLKS LIKE YOU AND ME...

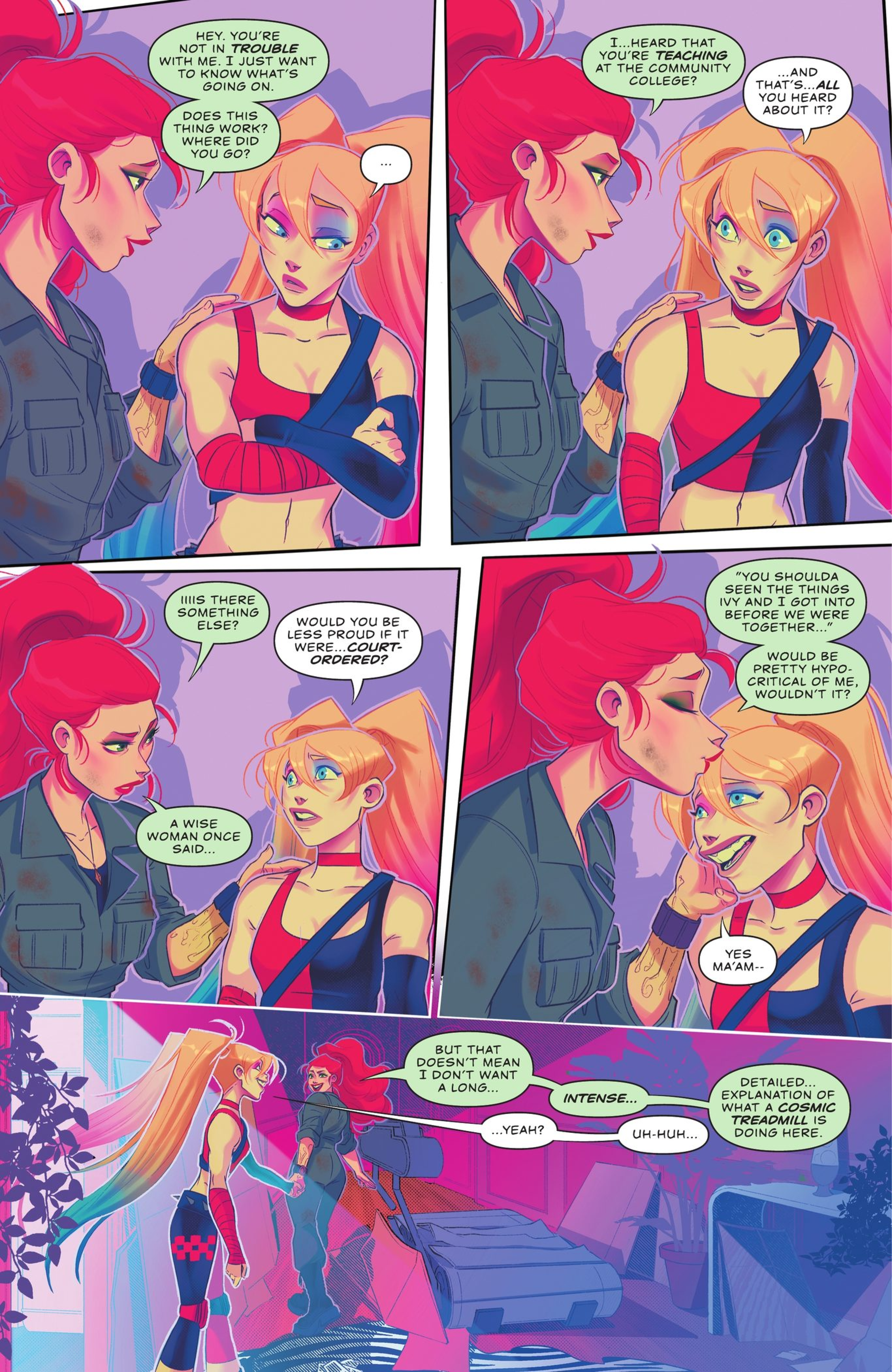

"WE ALWAYS BOUNCE BACK."
YEEEEEEEEEEEEEEEEEEEEE!

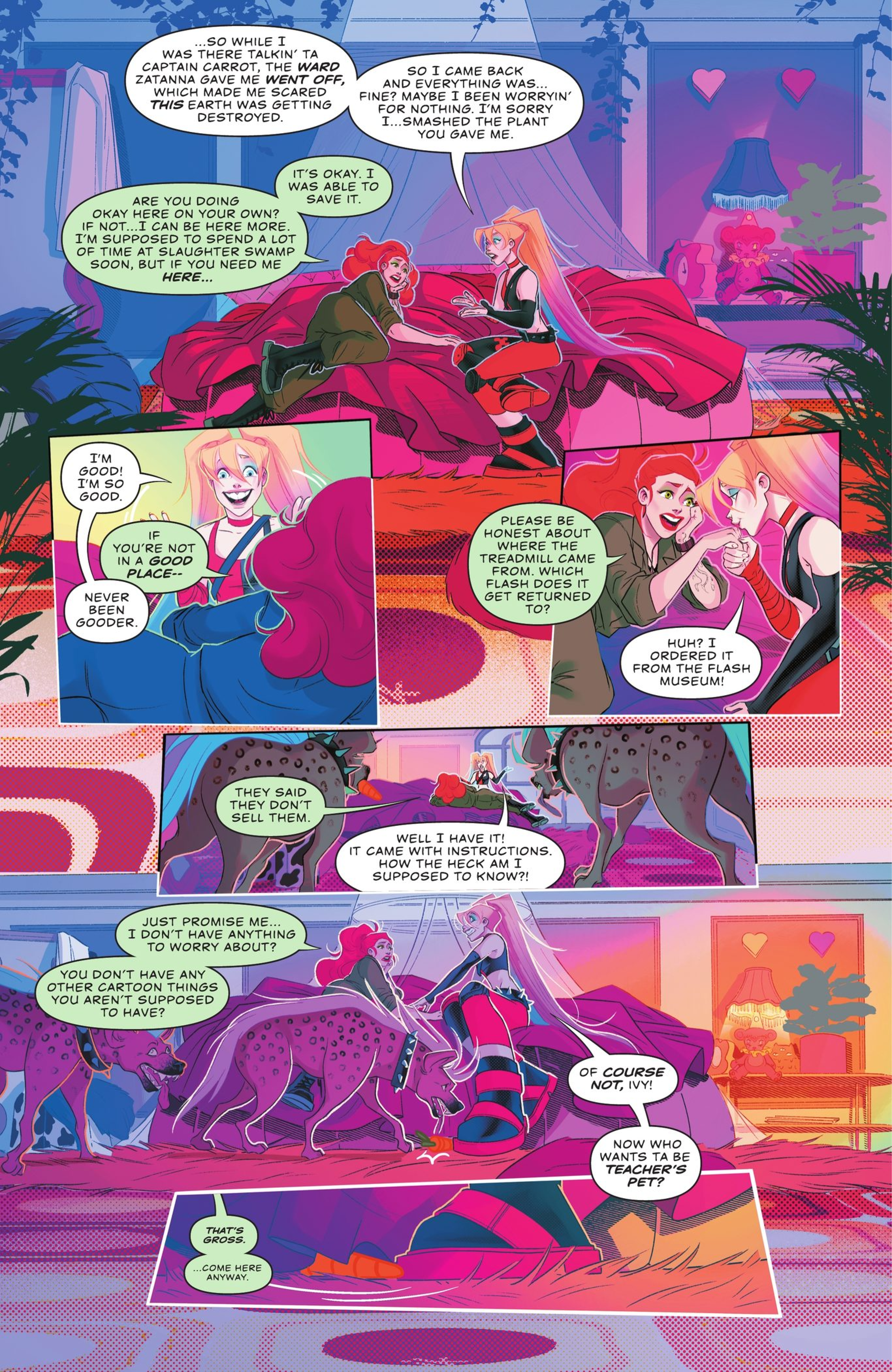

OH NO OH GEEZ, I GOT THE BOUNCE *UP--*
I DIDN'T THINK OF HOW I'D *LAND--*
OOOOOF
TSSSSHHH
HARLEY! YOU'RE BACK! THANK LORD *VOLT,* YOU'RE ALIVE!

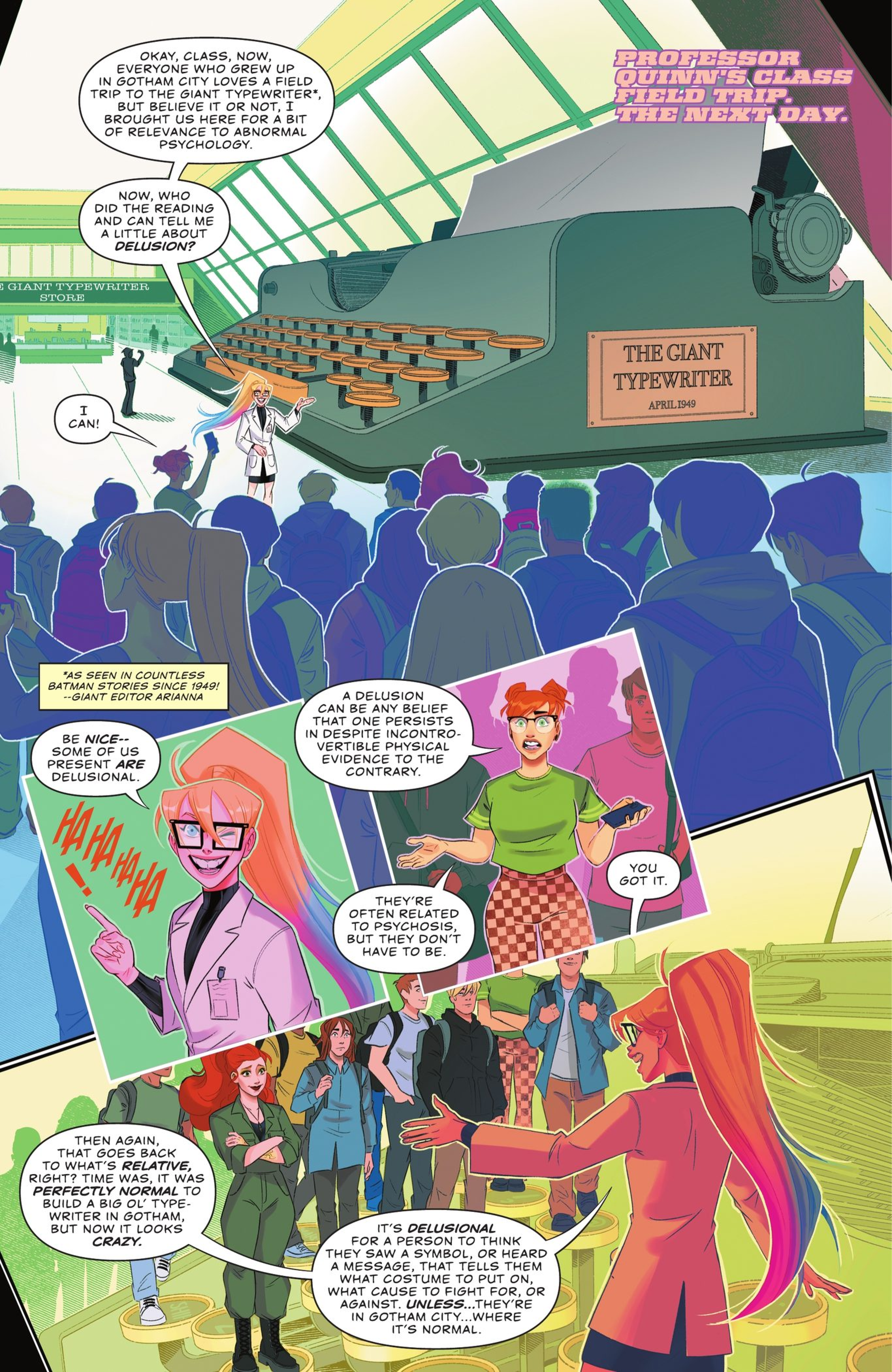
This one's on me!
Your SAFE LANDING has been provided by your pal, Fastback.
Please refill your SAFE LANDINGS before utilizing the Cosmic Trampoline again.

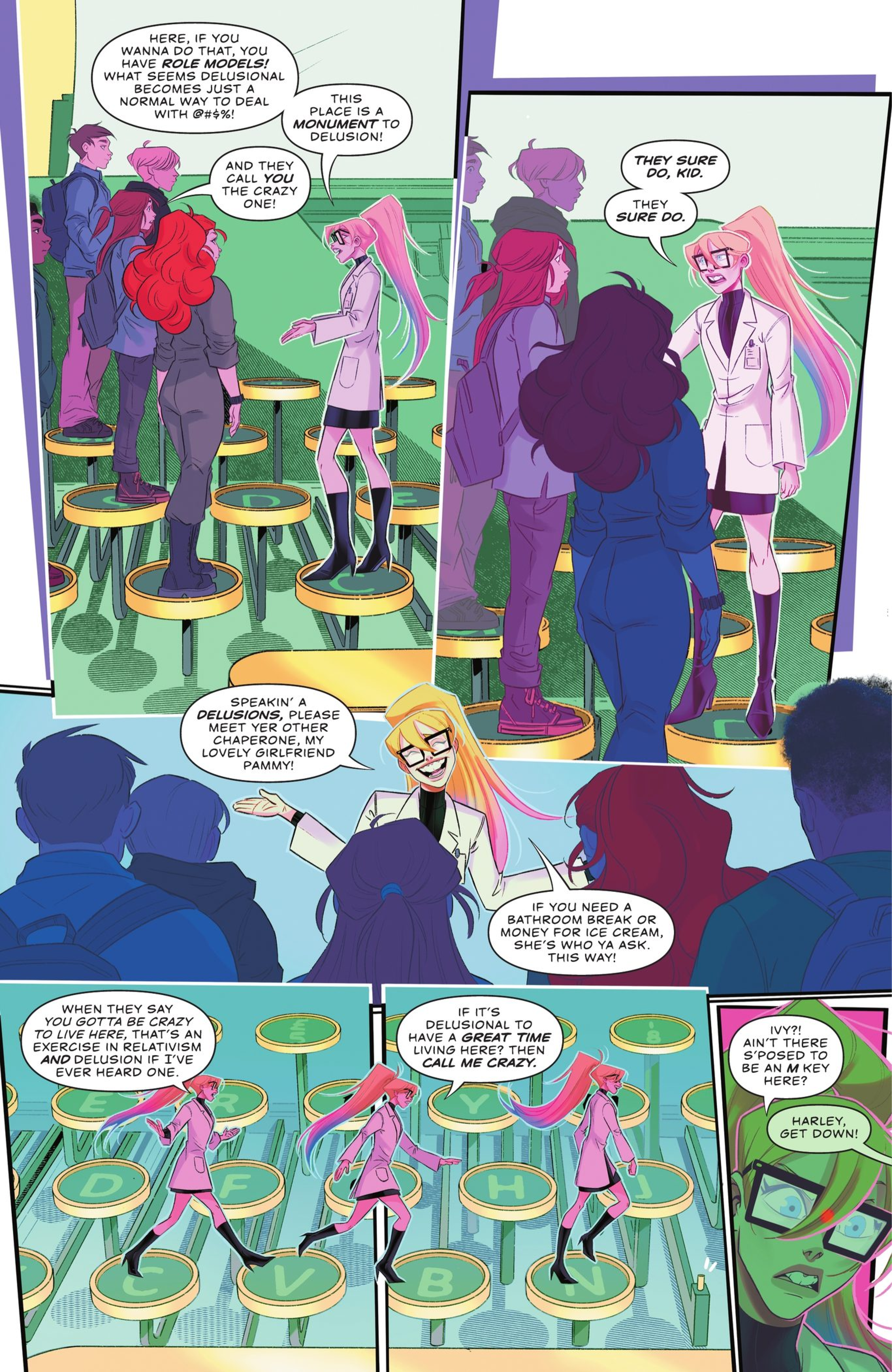
OH I'M GONNA FORGET TO DO THAT FOR *SURE.*
IVY'S RETURNED-- SHE'S IN THE APARTMENT!
OH!...*OH.* @#$%--

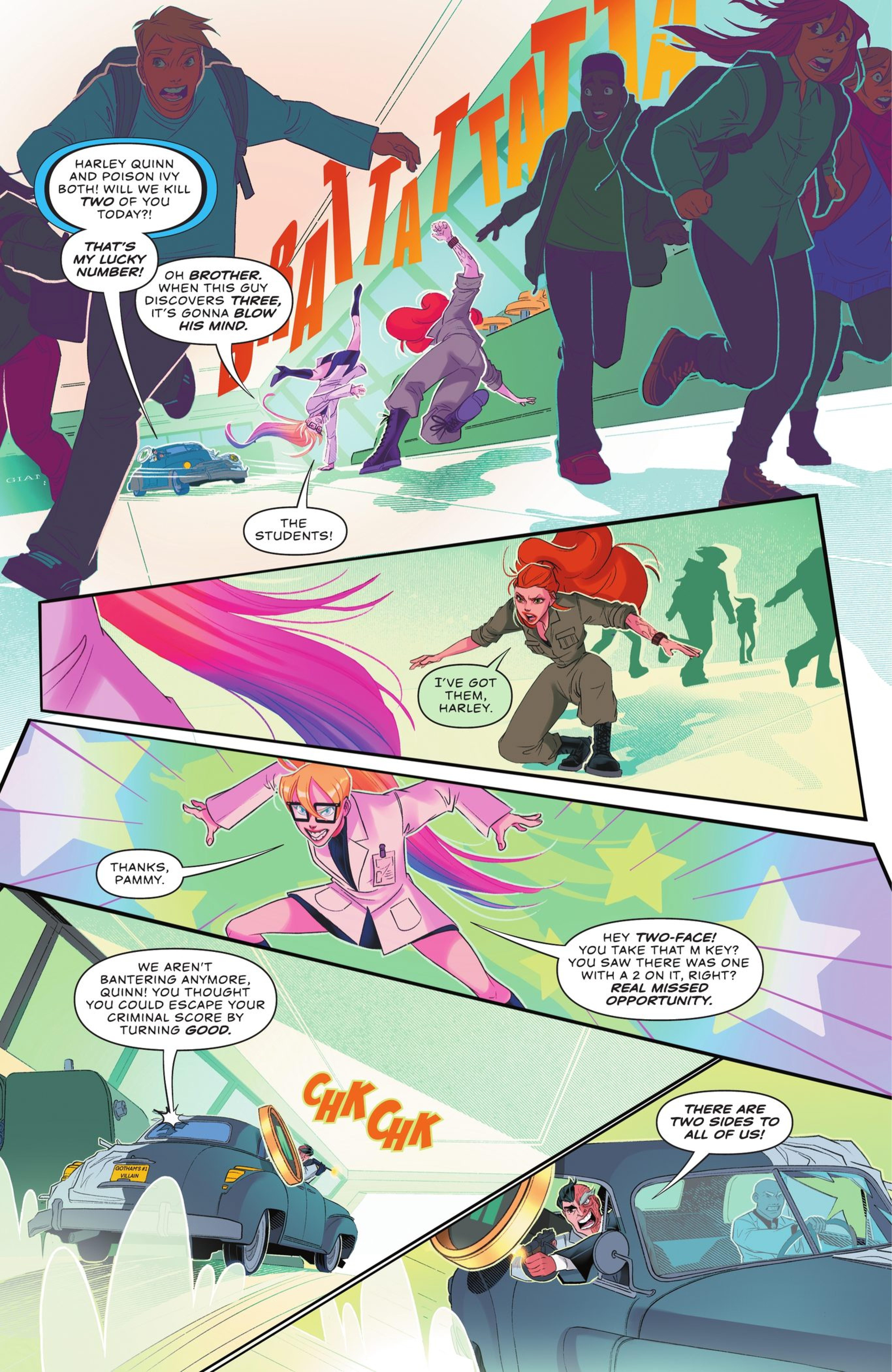

THERE YOU ARE! I CAME TO SURPRISE YOU, BUT YOU WENT OUT AND LEFT A HUGE MESS--
IVY!
SMACK
MMMMM MMMMMMMMM MISSED YOU.
I MISSED YOU TOO--I'VE BEEN WORRIED SICK! I CAME BACK HERE TO SURPRISE YOU BUT...
WHERE HAVE YOU BEEN, AND WHAT IS ALL THIS CRAP? DOES THIS TREADMILL... WORK? WHERE DID YOU GET IT?
Nest
THAT'S A LOTTA QUESTIONS FOR A LADY WITH SUCH KISSABLE LIPS AND SQUEEZABLE--
HARLEY.
ALL RIGHT, ALL RIGHT! OKAY!
YOU WIN! I SCREWED UP, I MADE A MESS!

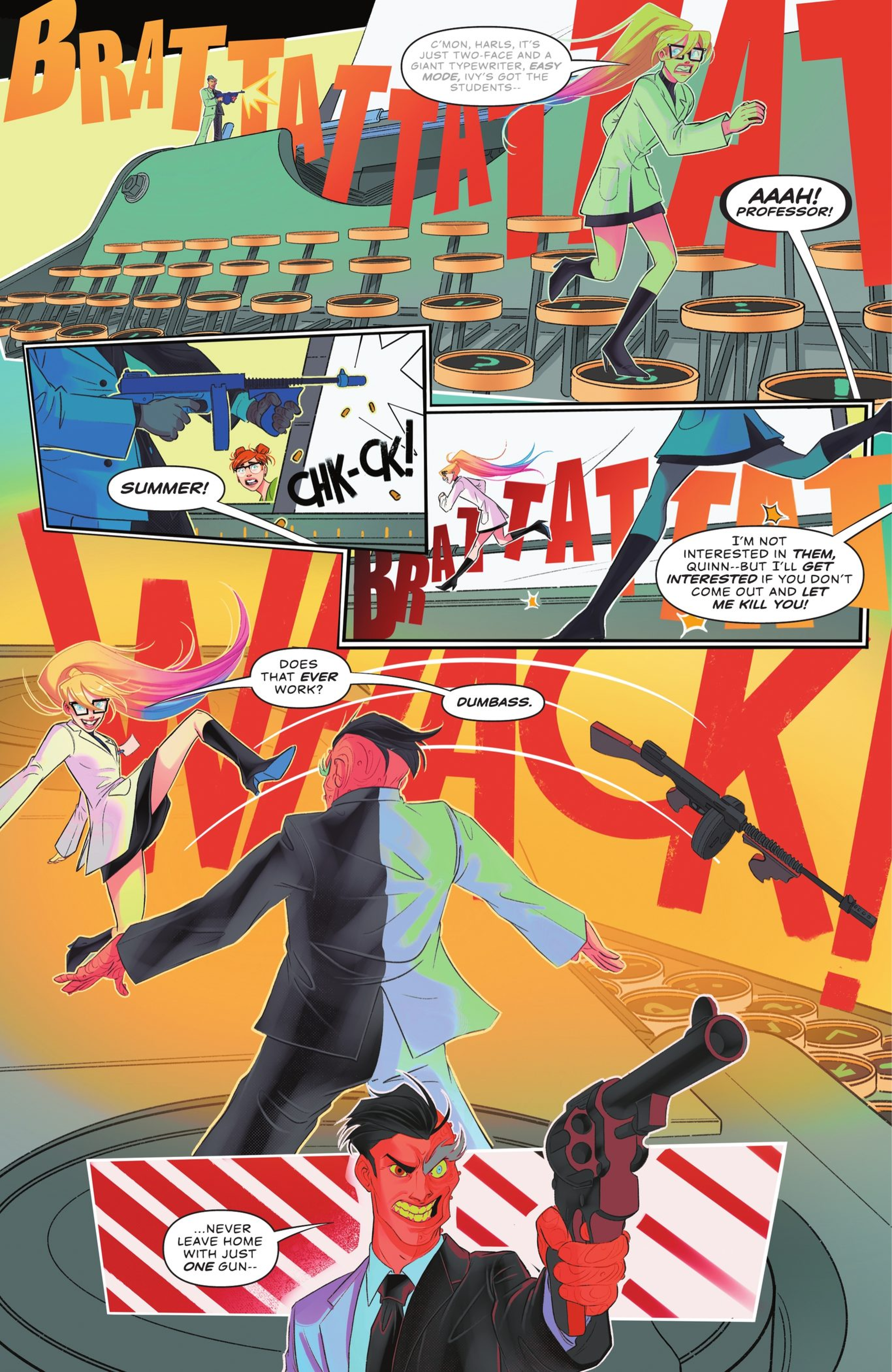

HEY. YOU'RE NOT IN *TROUBLE* WITH ME. I JUST WANT TO KNOW WHAT'S GOING ON.
DOES THIS THING WORK? WHERE DID YOU GO?
...
I...HEARD THAT YOU'RE *TEACHING* AT THE COMMUNITY COLLEGE?
...AND THAT'S...*ALL* YOU HEARD ABOUT IT?
IIIIS THERE SOMETHING ELSE?
WOULD YOU BE LESS PROUD IF IT WERE...*COURT-ORDERED?*
A WISE WOMAN ONCE SAID...
"YOU SHOULDA SEEN THE THINGS IVY AND I GOT INTO BEFORE WE WERE TOGETHER..."
WOULD BE PRETTY HYPOCRITICAL OF ME, WOULDN'T IT?
YES MA'AM--
BUT THAT DOESN'T MEAN I DON'T WANT A LONG...
...YEAH?
INTENSE...
UH-HUH...
DETAILED... EXPLANATION OF WHAT A *COSMIC TREADMILL* IS DOING HERE.

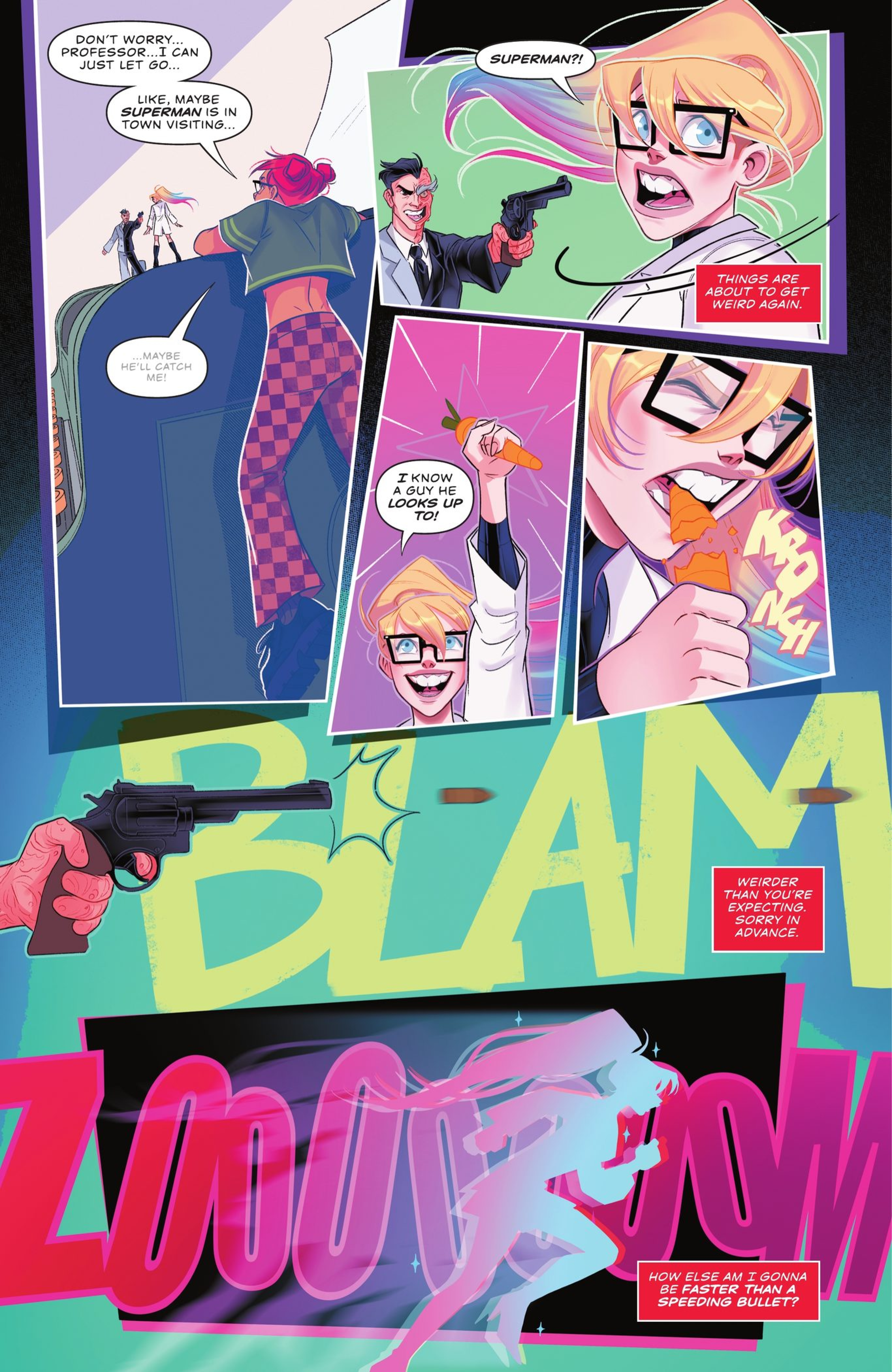

...SO WHILE I WAS THERE TALKIN' TA CAPTAIN CARROT, THE *WARD* ZATANNA GAVE ME *WENT OFF,* WHICH MADE ME SCARED *THIS* EARTH WAS GETTING DESTROYED.
SO I CAME BACK AND EVERYTHING WAS... FINE? MAYBE I BEEN WORRYIN' FOR NOTHING. I'M SORRY I...SMASHED THE PLANT YOU GAVE ME.
IT'S OKAY. I WAS ABLE TO SAVE IT.
ARE YOU DOING OKAY HERE ON YOUR OWN? IF NOT...I CAN BE HERE MORE. I'M SUPPOSED TO SPEND A LOT OF TIME AT SLAUGHTER SWAMP SOON, BUT IF YOU NEED ME *HERE...*
I'M GOOD! I'M SO GOOD.
IF YOU'RE NOT IN A *GOOD PLACE--*
NEVER BEEN GOODER.
PLEASE BE HONEST ABOUT WHERE THE TREADMILL CAME FROM. WHICH FLASH DOES IT GET RETURNED TO?
HUH? I ORDERED IT FROM THE FLASH MUSEUM!
THEY SAID THEY DON'T SELL THEM.
WELL I HAVE IT! IT CAME WITH INSTRUCTIONS. HOW THE HECK AM I SUPPOSED TO KNOW?!
JUST PROMISE ME... I DON'T HAVE ANYTHING TO WORRY ABOUT?
YOU DON'T HAVE ANY OTHER CARTOON THINGS YOU AREN'T SUPPOSED TO HAVE?
OF *COURSE NOT,* IVY!
NOW WHO WANTS TA BE *TEACHER'S PET?*
THAT'S GROSS.
...COME HERE ANYWAY.

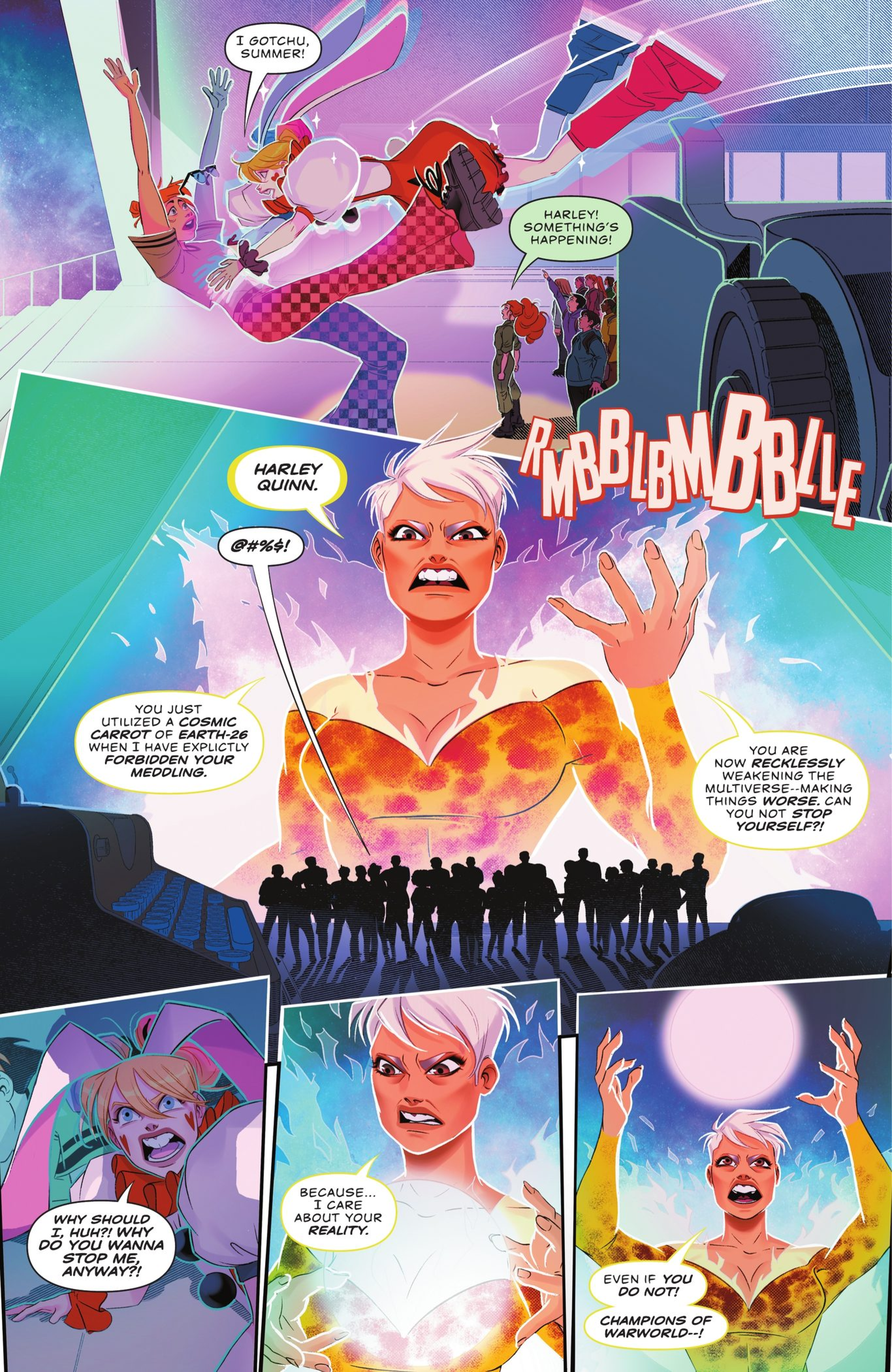

PROFESSOR QUINN'S CLASS FIELD TRIP. THE NEXT DAY.
OKAY, CLASS, NOW, EVERYONE WHO GREW UP IN GOTHAM CITY LOVES A FIELD TRIP TO THE GIANT TYPEWRITER*, BUT BELIEVE IT OR NOT, I BROUGHT US HERE FOR A BIT OF RELEVANCE TO ABNORMAL PSYCHOLOGY.
NOW, WHO DID THE READING AND CAN TELL ME A LITTLE ABOUT *DELUSION?*
E GIANT TYPEWRITER STORE
THE GIANT TYPEWRITER APRIL 1949
I CAN!
*AS SEEN IN COUNTLESS BATMAN STORIES SINCE 1949! --GIANT EDITOR ARIANNA
A DELUSION CAN BE ANY BELIEF THAT ONE PERSISTS IN DESPITE INCONTROVERTIBLE PHYSICAL EVIDENCE TO THE CONTRARY.
THEY'RE OFTEN RELATED TO PSYCHOSIS, BUT THEY DON'T HAVE TO BE.
YOU GOT IT.
BE *NICE*-- SOME OF US PRESENT *ARE* DELUSIONAL.
HA HA HA HA HA!
THEN AGAIN, THAT GOES BACK TO WHAT'S *RELATIVE,* RIGHT? TIME WAS, IT WAS *PERFECTLY NORMAL* TO BUILD A BIG OL' TYPEWRITER IN GOTHAM, BUT NOW IT LOOKS *CRAZY.*
IT'S *DELUSIONAL* FOR A PERSON TO THINK THEY SAW A SYMBOL, OR HEARD A MESSAGE, THAT TELLS THEM WHAT COSTUME TO PUT ON, WHAT CAUSE TO FIGHT FOR, OR AGAINST. *UNLESS...*THEY'RE IN GOTHAM CITY...WHERE IT'S NORMAL.

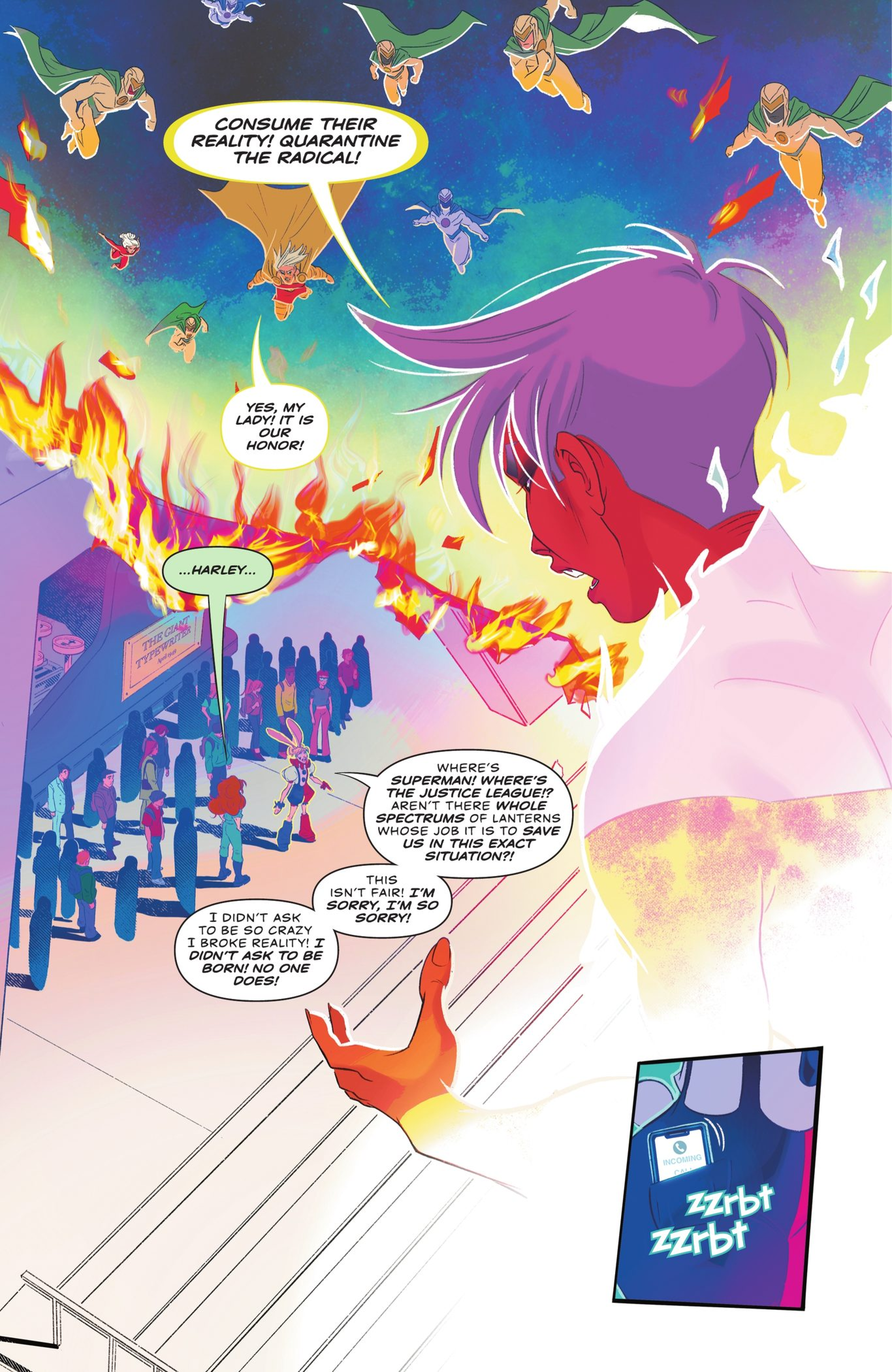

HERE, IF YOU WANNA DO THAT, YOU HAVE ***ROLE MODELS!*** WHAT SEEMS DELUSIONAL BECOMES JUST A NORMAL WAY TO DEAL WITH @#$%!
THIS PLACE IS A ***MONUMENT*** TO DELUSION!
AND THEY CALL ***YOU*** THE CRAZY ONE!
THEY SURE DO, KID.
THEY ***SURE DO.***
SPEAKIN' A ***DELUSIONS,*** PLEASE MEET YER OTHER CHAPERONE, MY LOVELY GIRLFRIEND PAMMY!
IF YOU NEED A BATHROOM BREAK OR MONEY FOR ICE CREAM, SHE'S WHO YA ASK. THIS WAY!
WHEN THEY SAY *YOU GOTTA BE CRAZY TO LIVE HERE,* THAT'S AN EXERCISE IN RELATIVISM ***AND*** DELUSION IF I'VE EVER HEARD ONE.
IF IT'S DELUSIONAL TO HAVE A ***GREAT TIME*** LIVING HERE? THEN ***CALL ME CRAZY.***
IVY?! AIN'T THERE S'POSED TO BE AN ***M*** KEY HERE?
HARLEY, GET DOWN!


BRATTATTATTA
HARLEY QUINN AND POISON IVY BOTH! WILL WE KILL *TWO* OF YOU TODAY?!
THAT'S MY LUCKY NUMBER!
OH **BROTHER.** WHEN THIS GUY DISCOVERS **THREE,** IT'S GONNA **BLOW HIS MIND.**
THE STUDENTS!
I'VE GOT THEM, HARLEY.
THANKS, PAMMY.
HEY ***TWO-FACE!*** YOU TAKE THAT M KEY? YOU SAW THERE WAS ONE WITH A 2 ON IT, RIGHT? ***REAL MISSED OPPORTUNITY.***
WE AREN'T BANTERING ANYMORE, QUINN! YOU THOUGHT YOU COULD ESCAPE YOUR CRIMINAL SCORE BY TURNING ***GOOD.***
GOTHAM'S #1 VILLAIN
CHK CHK
THERE ARE TWO SIDES TO ALL OF US!


BRATTATTAT
C'MON, HARLS, IT'S JUST TWO-FACE AND A GIANT TYPEWRITER, *EASY MODE,* IVY'S GOT THE STUDENTS--
AAAH! PROFESSOR!
SUMMER!
CHK-CK!
BRATATAT
I'M NOT INTERESTED IN **THEM,** QUINN--BUT I'LL **GET INTERESTED** IF YOU DON'T COME OUT AND **LET ME KILL YOU!**
WHACK!
DOES THAT *EVER* WORK?
DUMBASS.
...NEVER LEAVE HOME WITH JUST *ONE* GUN--


DON'T WORRY... PROFESSOR...I CAN JUST LET GO...
LIKE, MAYBE **SUPERMAN** IS IN TOWN VISITING...
...MAYBE HE'LL CATCH ME!
SUPERMAN?!
THINGS ARE ABOUT TO GET WEIRD AGAIN.
I KNOW A GUY HE ***LOOKS UP*** TO!
KRONCH
BLAM
WEIRDER THAN YOU'RE EXPECTING. SORRY IN ADVANCE.
ZOOOOOOM
HOW ELSE AM I GONNA BE ***FASTER THAN A SPEEDING BULLET?***


I GOTCHU, SUMMER!
HARLEY! SOMETHING'S HAPPENING!
RMBBLBMBBLLE
HARLEY QUINN.
@#%$!
YOU JUST UTILIZED A COSMIC CARROT OF EARTH-26 WHEN I HAVE EXPLICTLY FORBIDDEN YOUR MEDDLING.
YOU ARE NOW RECKLESSLY WEAKENING THE MULTIVERSE--MAKING THINGS WORSE. CAN YOU NOT STOP YOURSELF?!
WHY SHOULD I, HUH?! WHY DO YOU WANNA STOP ME, ANYWAY?!
BECAUSE... I CARE ABOUT YOUR REALITY.
EVEN IF YOU DO NOT!
CHAMPIONS OF WARWORLD--!


CONSUME THEIR REALITY! QUARANTINE THE RADICAL!
YES, MY LADY! IT IS OUR HONOR!
THE GIANT TYPEWRITER
...HARLEY...
WHERE'S SUPERMAN! WHERE'S THE JUSTICE LEAGUE!? AREN'T THERE WHOLE SPECTRUMS OF LANTERNS WHOSE JOB IT IS TO SAVE US IN THIS EXACT SITUATION?!
THIS ISN'T FAIR! I'M SORRY, I'M SO SORRY!
I DIDN'T ASK TO BE SO CRAZY I BROKE REALITY! I DIDN'T ASK TO BE BORN! NO ONE DOES!
INCOMING CALL
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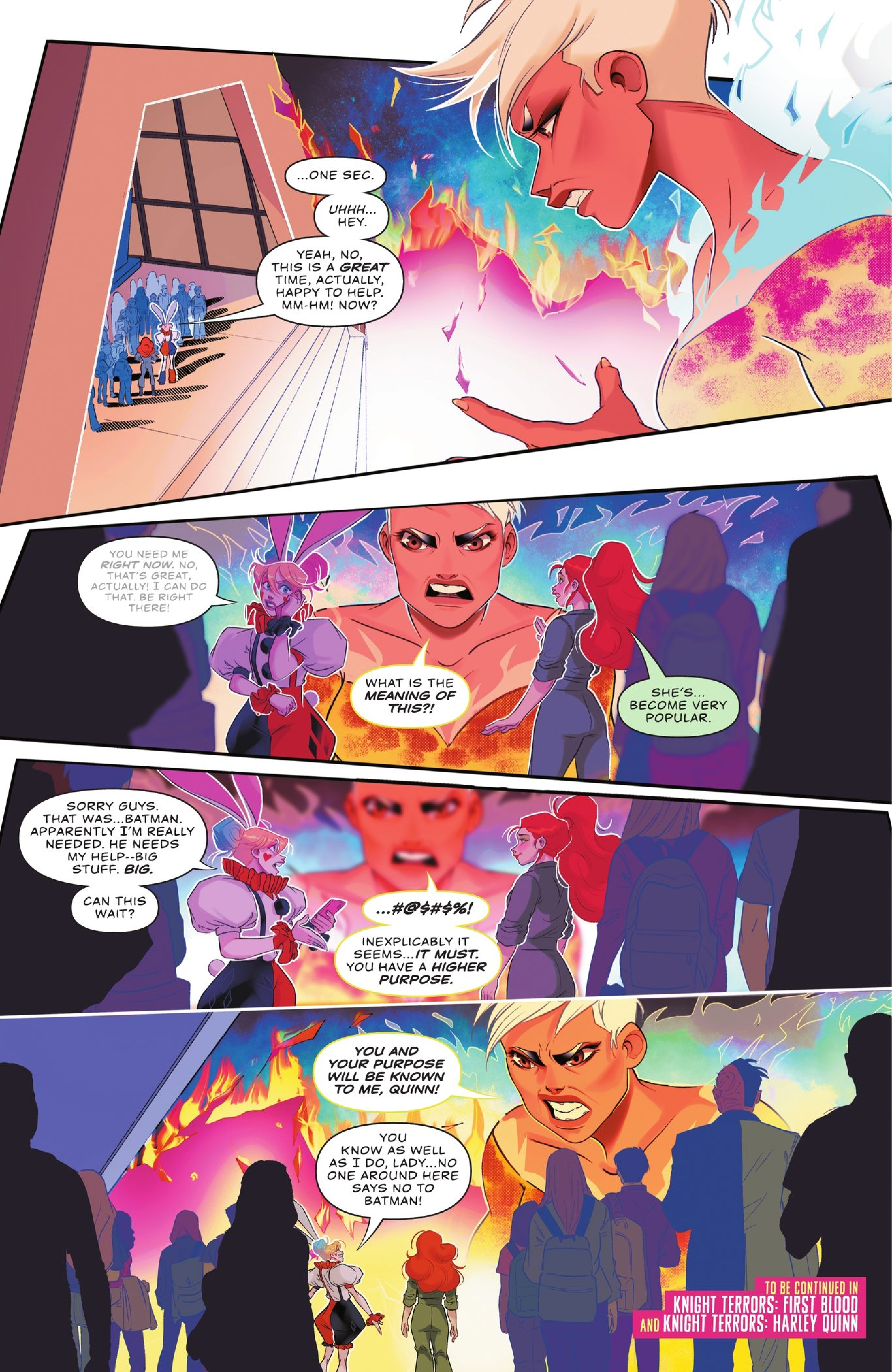
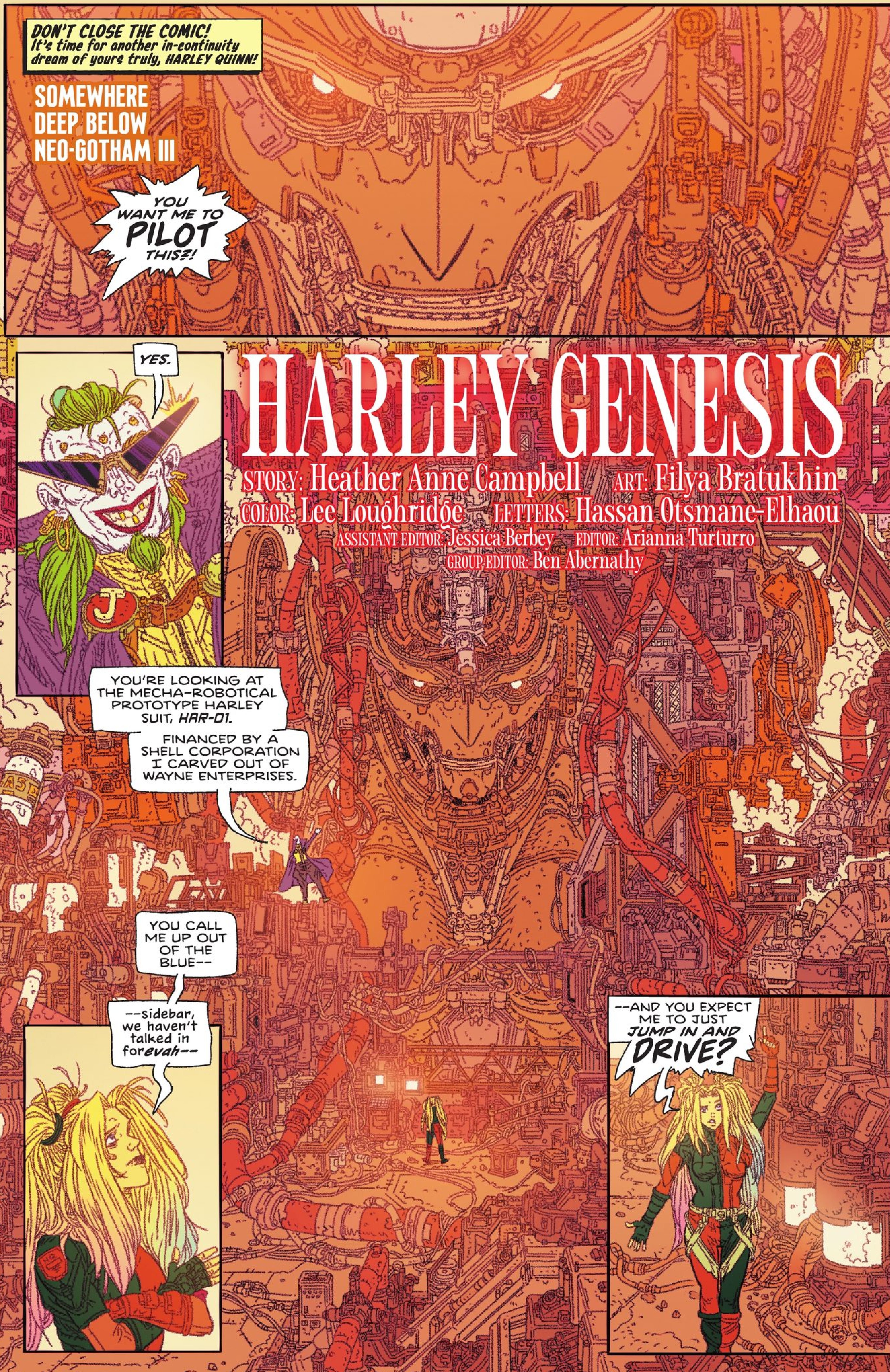

...ONE SEC.
UHHH... HEY.
YEAH, NO, THIS IS A ***GREAT*** TIME, ACTUALLY, HAPPY TO HELP. MM-HM! NOW?
YOU NEED ME ***RIGHT NOW.*** NO, THAT'S GREAT, ACTUALLY! I CAN DO THAT. BE RIGHT THERE!
WHAT IS THE ***MEANING OF THIS?!***
SHE'S... BECOME VERY POPULAR.
SORRY GUYS. THAT WAS...BATMAN. APPARENTLY I'M REALLY NEEDED. HE NEEDS MY HELP--BIG STUFF. ***BIG.***
CAN THIS WAIT?
...#@$#$%!
INEXPLICABLY IT SEEMS...***IT MUST.*** YOU HAVE A ***HIGHER PURPOSE.***
YOU AND YOUR PURPOSE WILL BE KNOWN TO ME, QUINN!
YOU KNOW AS WELL AS I DO, LADY...NO ONE AROUND HERE SAYS NO TO BATMAN!
TO BE CONTINUED IN KNIGHT TERRORS: FIRST BLOOD AND KNIGHT TERRORS: HARLEY QUINN


DON'T CLOSE THE COMIC! It's time for another in-continuity dream of yours truly, HARLEY QUINN!
SOMEWHERE DEEP BELOW NEO-GOTHAM III
YOU WANT ME TO PILOT THIS?!
YES.
YOU'RE LOOKING AT THE MECHA-ROBOTICAL PROTOTYPE HARLEY SUIT, HAR-01.
FINANCED BY A SHELL CORPORATION I CARVED OUT OF WAYNE ENTERPRISES.
YOU CALL ME UP OUT OF THE BLUE--
--sidebar, we haven't talked in forevah--
--AND YOU EXPECT ME TO JUST JUMP IN AND DRIVE?

HARLEY GENESIS

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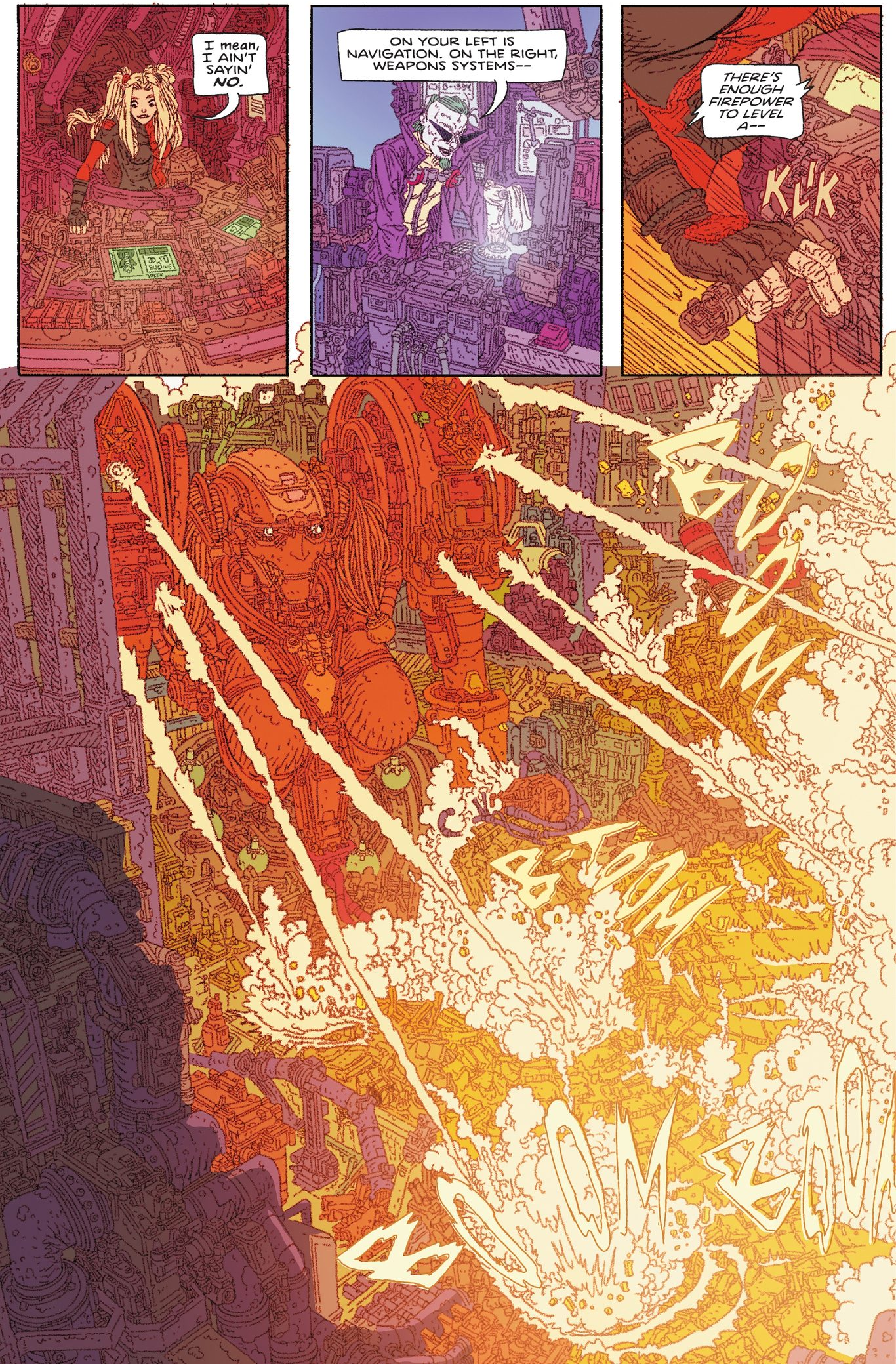
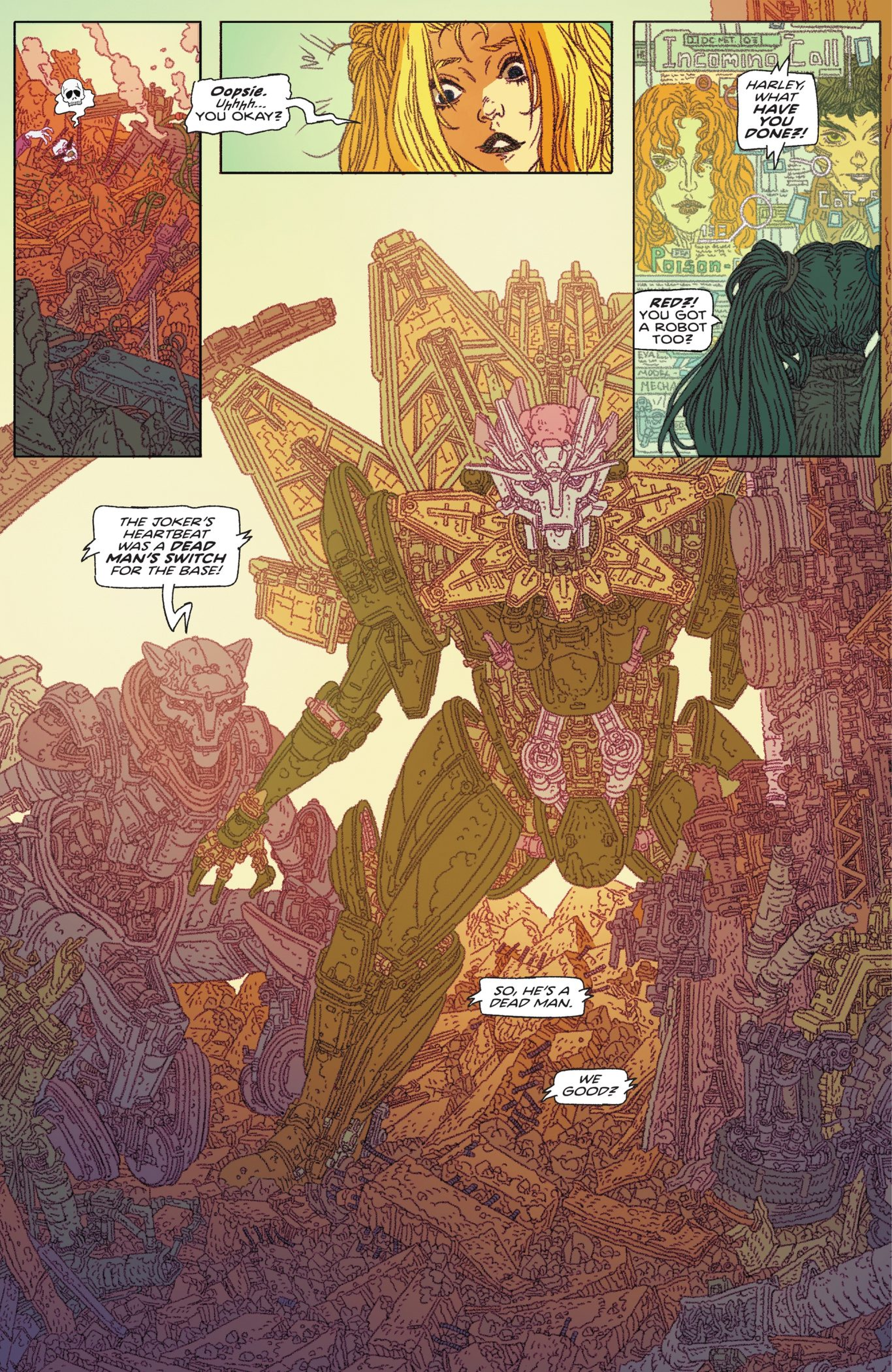
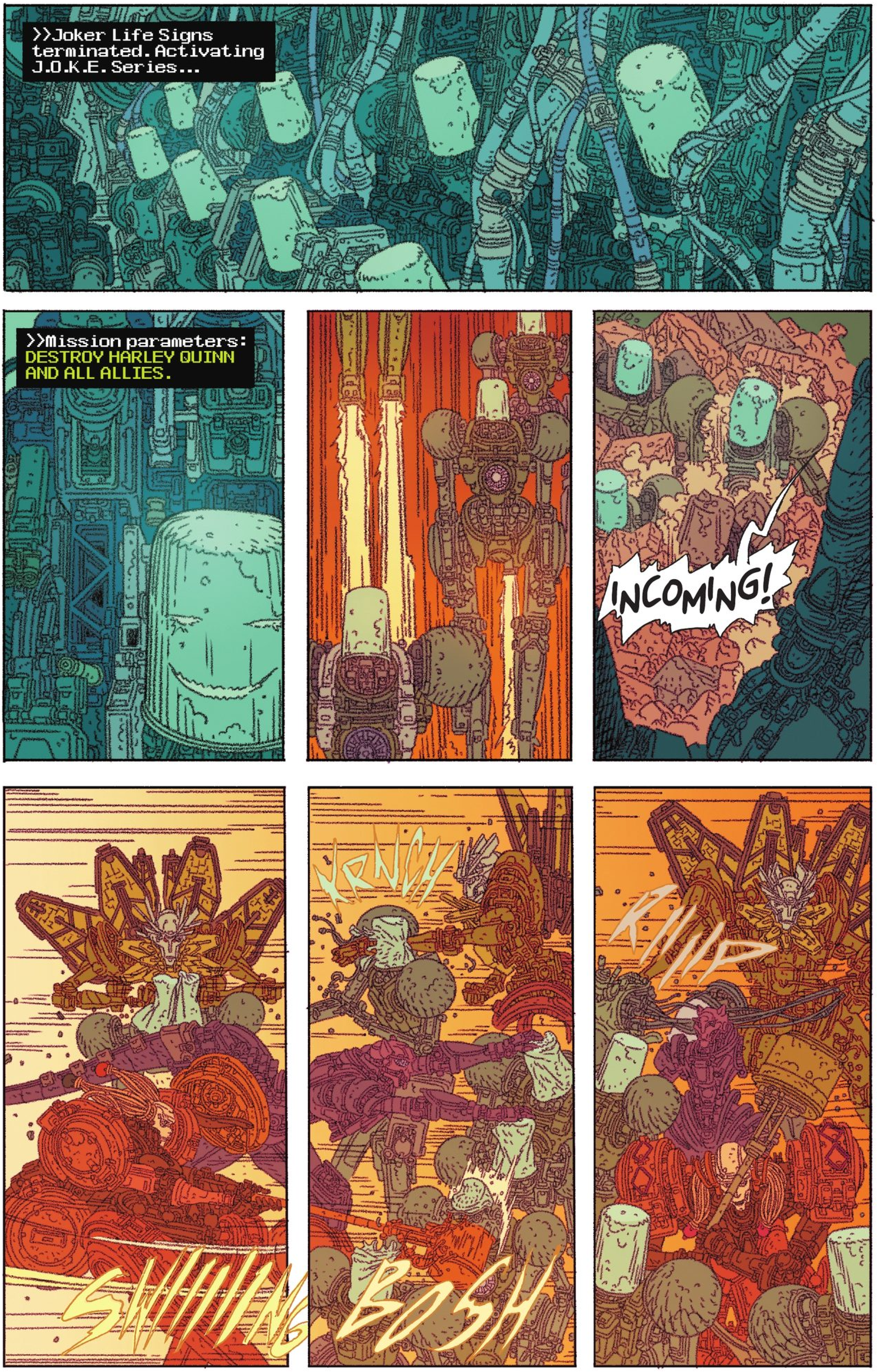
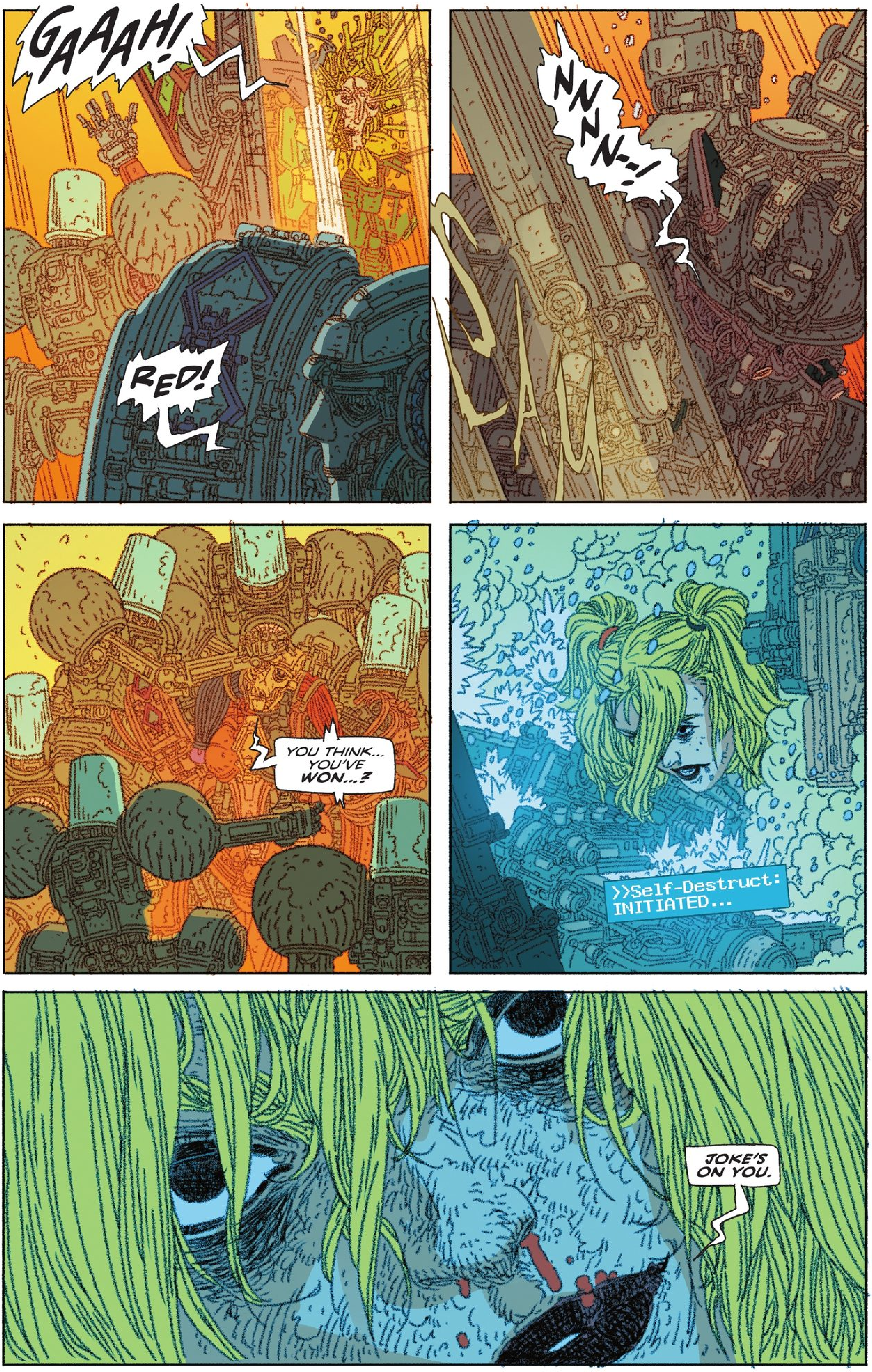
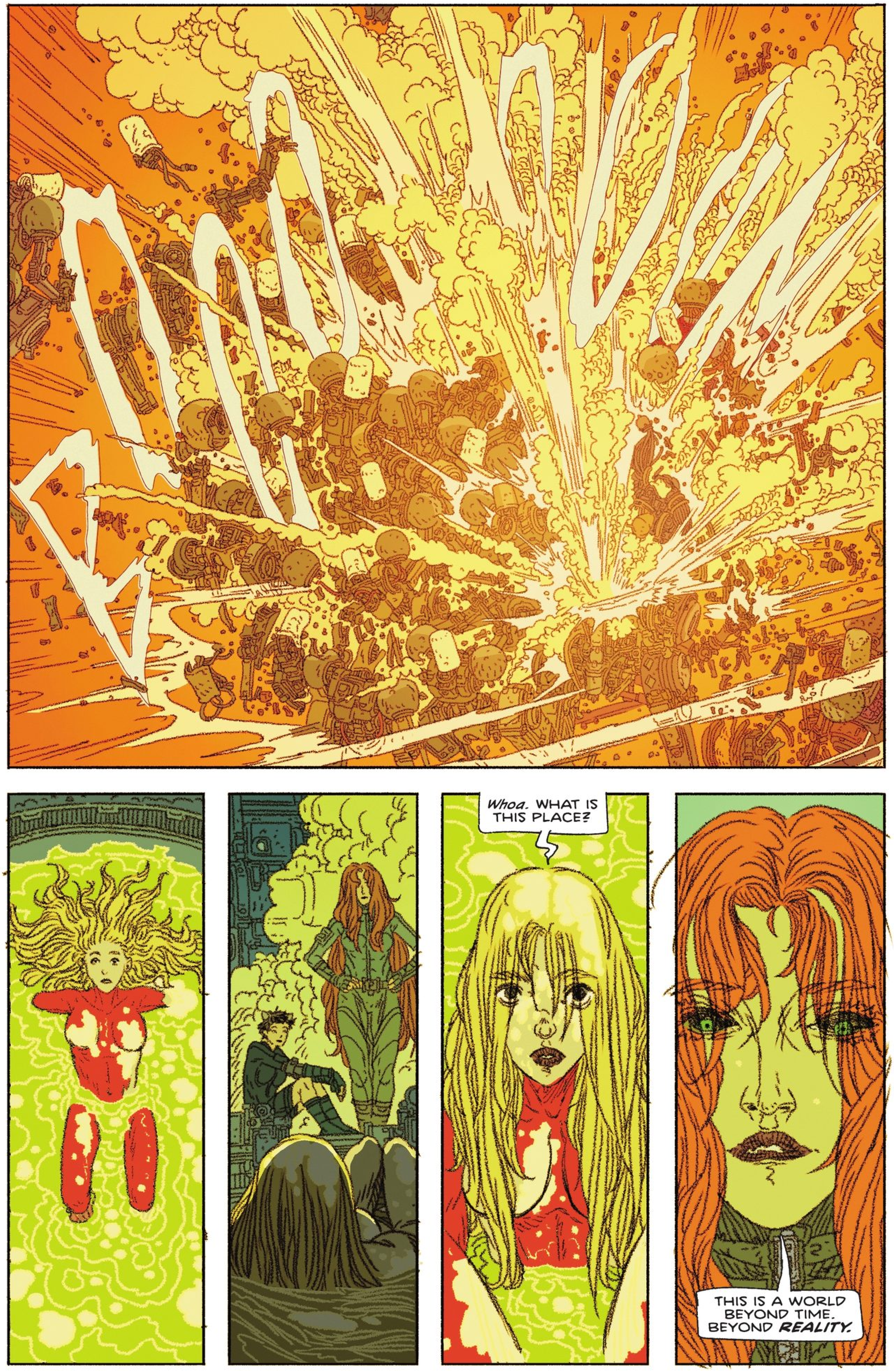
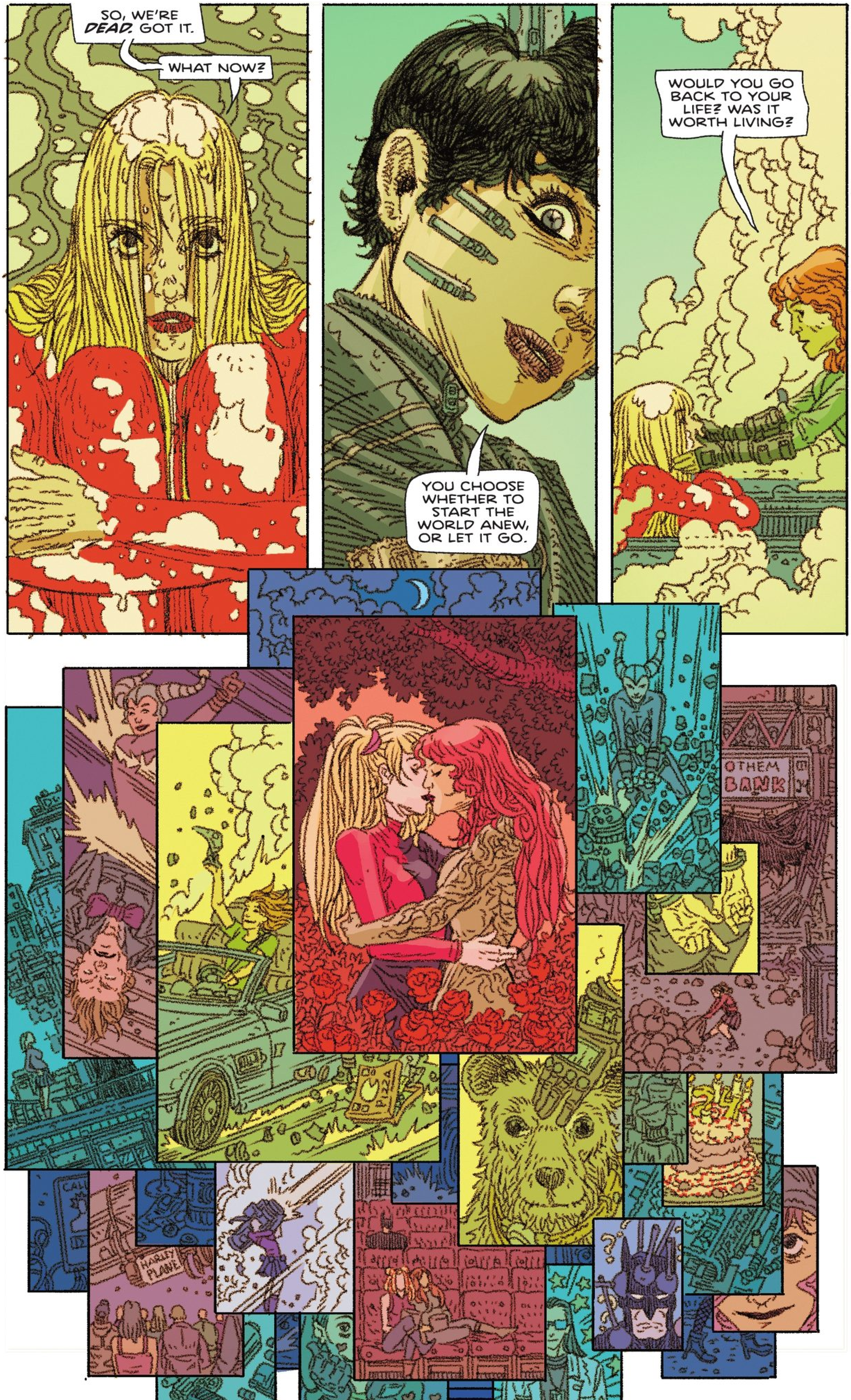

I mean, I AIN'T SAYIN' **NO.**
ON YOUR LEFT IS NAVIGATION. ON THE RIGHT, WEAPONS SYSTEMS--
THERE'S ENOUGH FIREPOWER TO LEVEL A--
KLIK
BOOOM
B-TOOM
BOOOM
BOOOOM

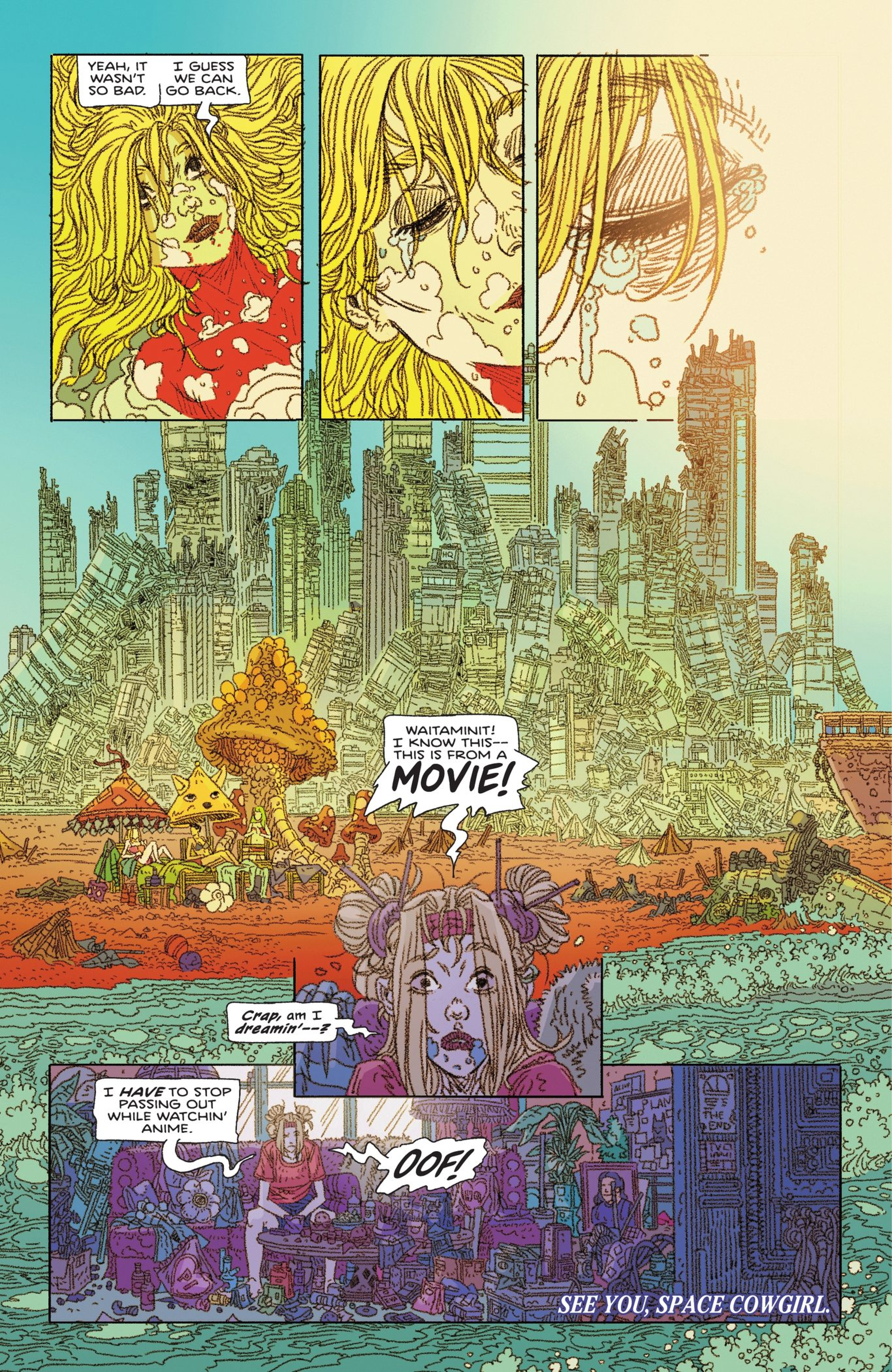

Oopsie. Uhhhh... YOU OKAY?
Incoming Call
Poison-
HARLEY, WHAT HAVE YOU DONE?!
RED?! YOU GOT A ROBOT TOO?
THE JOKER'S HEARTBEAT WAS A DEAD MAN'S SWITCH FOR THE BASE!
SO, HE'S A DEAD MAN.
WE GOOD?

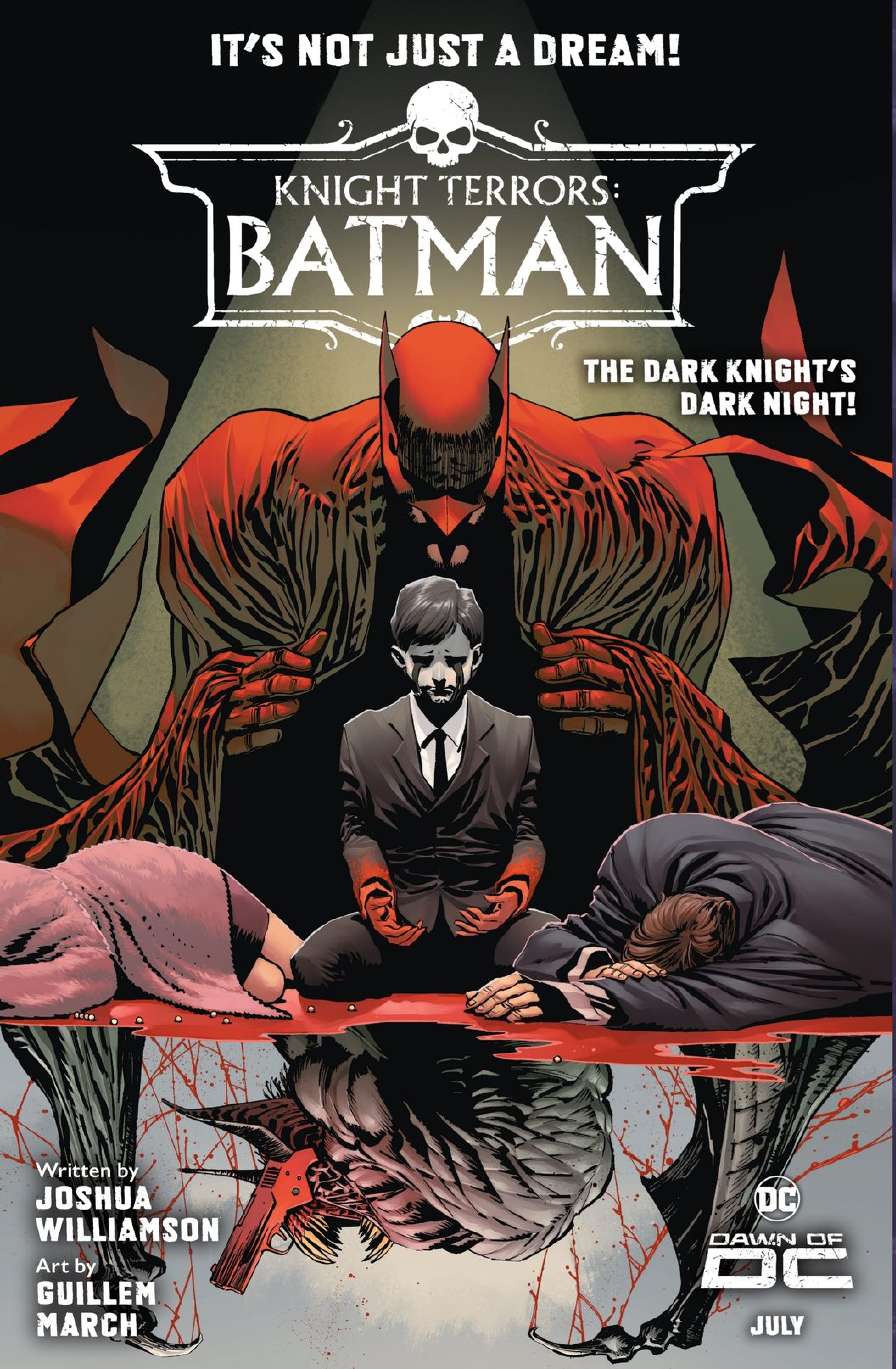

>>Joker Life Signs terminated. Activating J.O.K.E. Series...
>>Mission parameters: DESTROY HARLEY QUINN AND ALL ALLIES.
INCOMING!
SWIIIING
KRNCH
BOSH
RIIIP


GAAAH!
RED!
NNNN--!
SLAM
YOU THINK... YOU'VE **WON...?**
>>Self-Destruct: INITIATED...
JOKE'S ON YOU.


Whoa. WHAT IS THIS PLACE?
THIS IS A WORLD BEYOND TIME. BEYOND ***REALITY.***


SO, WE'RE *DEAD.* GOT IT.
WHAT NOW?
YOU CHOOSE WHETHER TO START THE WORLD ANEW, OR LET IT GO.
WOULD YOU GO BACK TO YOUR LIFE? WAS IT WORTH LIVING?
OTHEM BANK
PIZZA
HARLEY PLANE


YEAH, IT WASN'T SO BAD.
I GUESS WE CAN GO BACK.
WAITAMINIT! I KNOW THIS-- THIS IS FROM A MOVIE!
Crap, am I dreamin'--?
I HAVE TO STOP PASSING OUT WHILE WATCHIN' ANIME.
OOF!
SEE YOU, SPACE COWGIRL.



IT'S NOT JUST A DREAM!

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THE DARK KNIGHT'S
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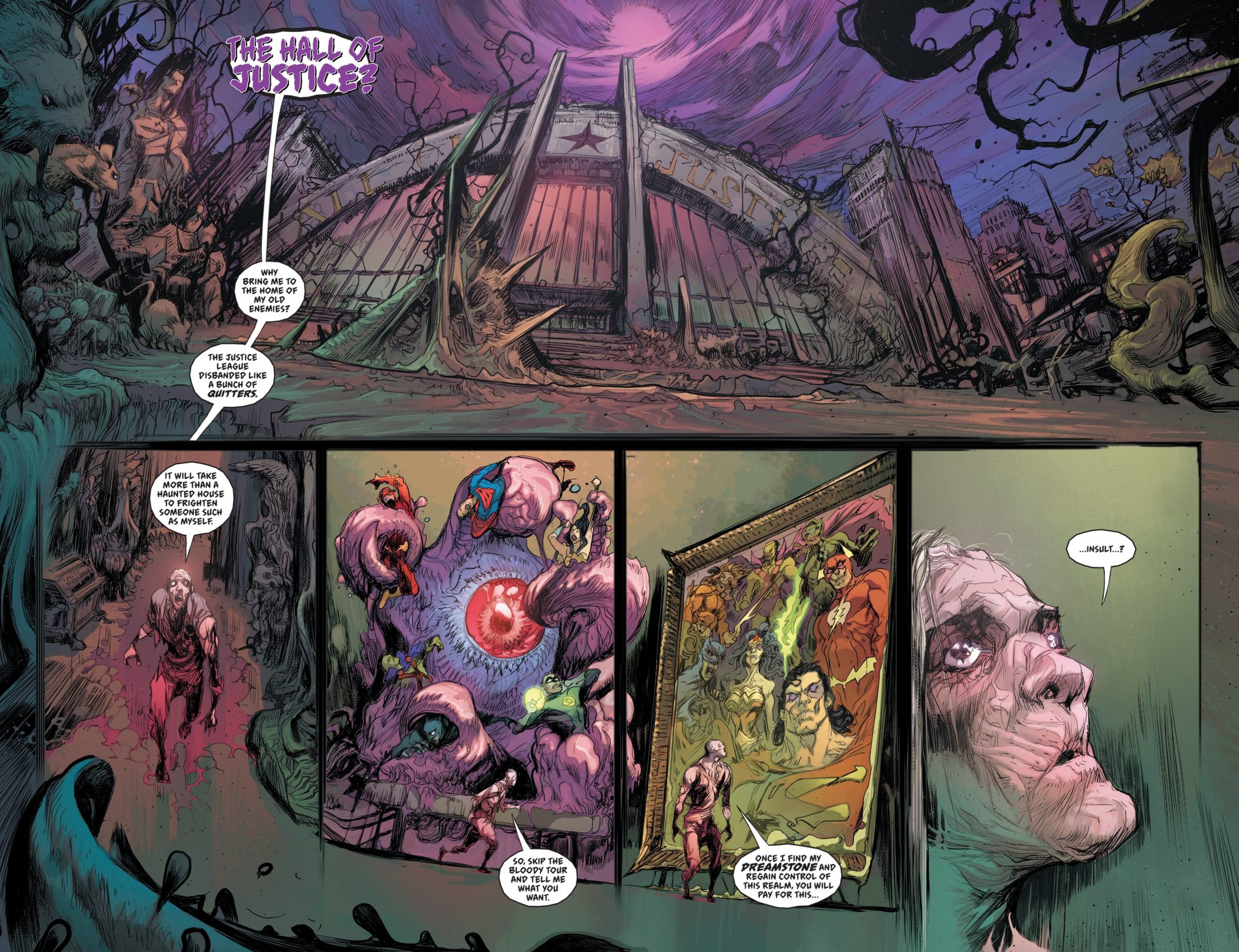
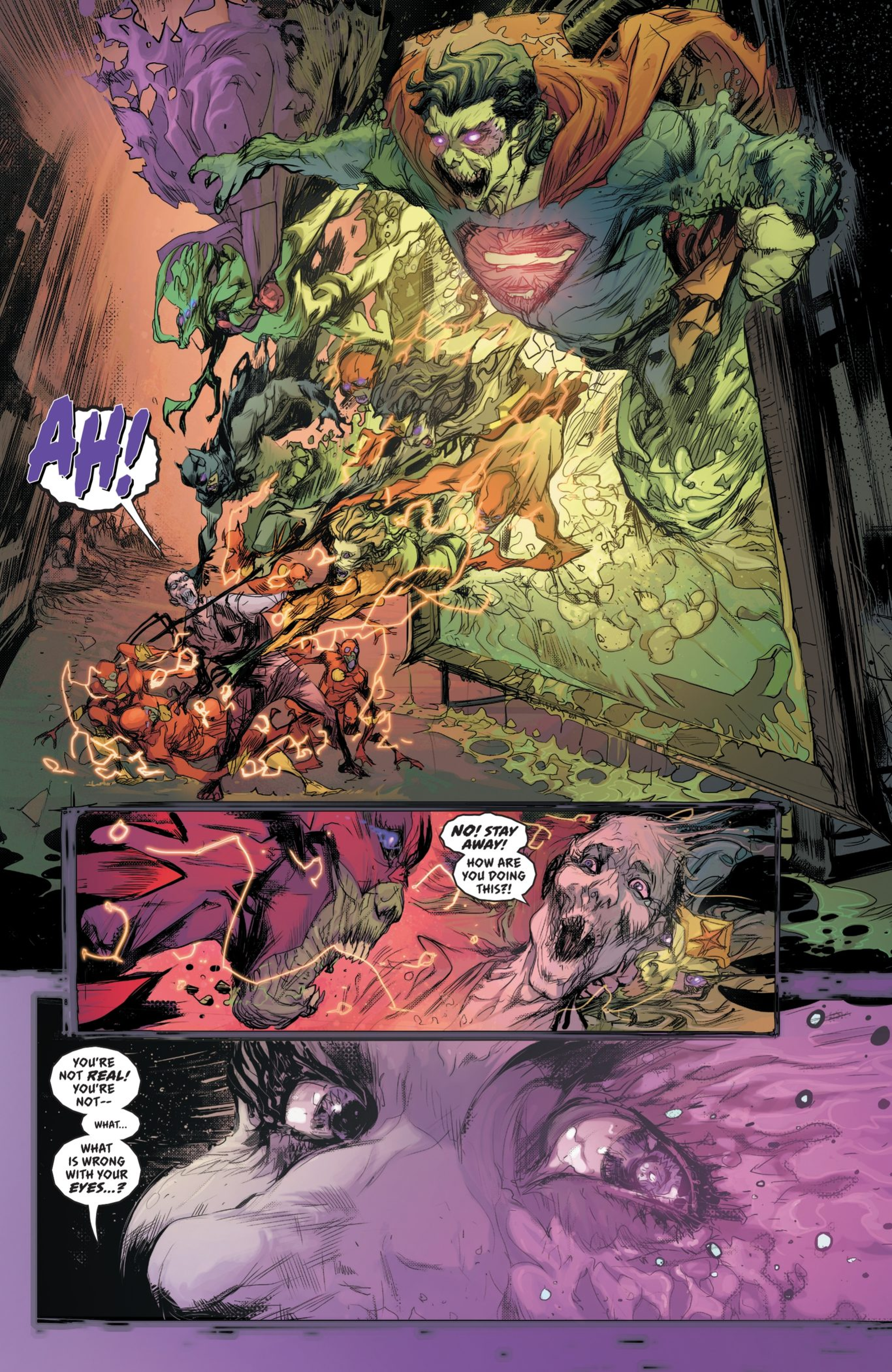
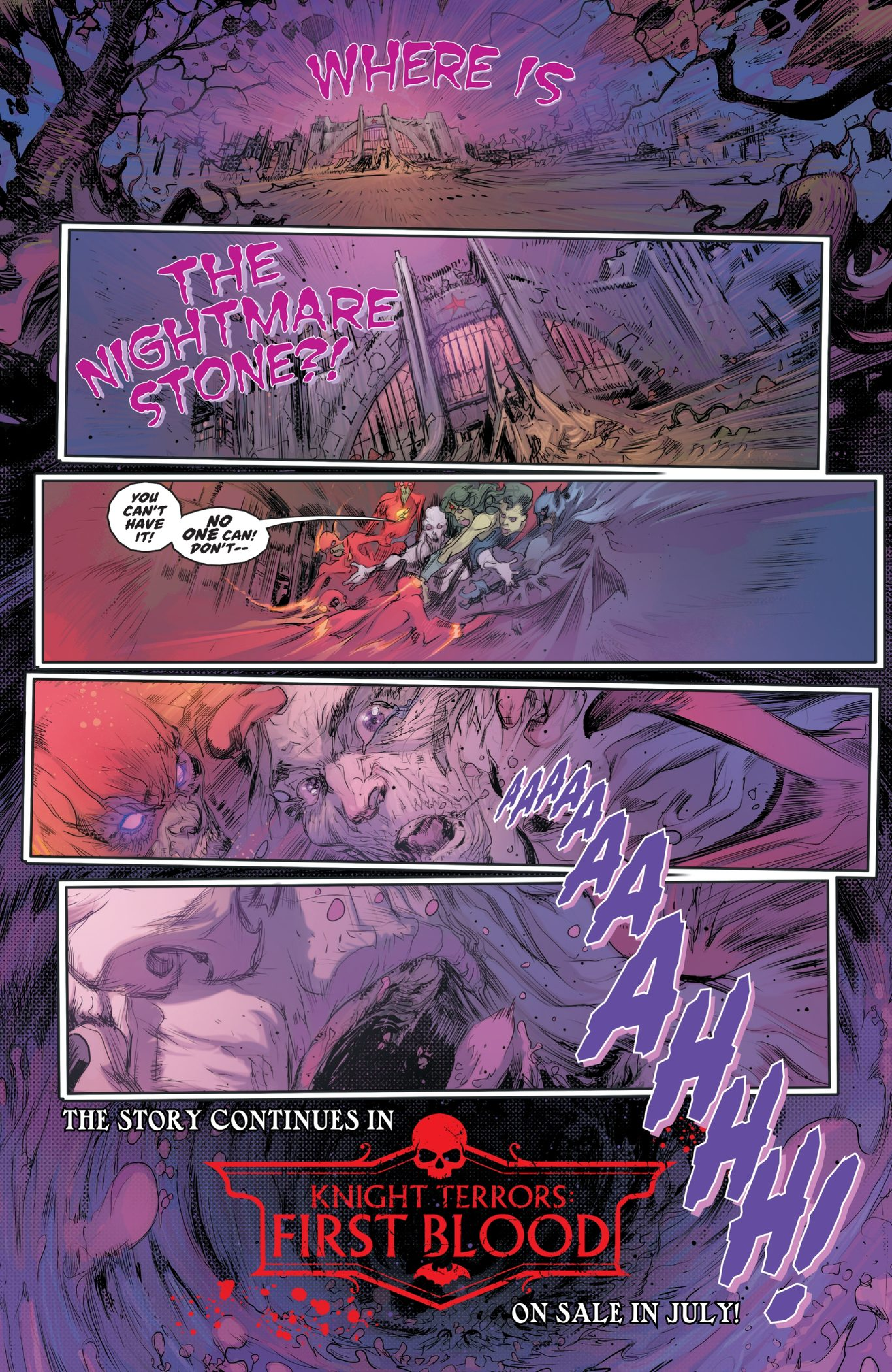

THE HALL OF JUSTICE?
JUSTICE
WHY BRING ME TO THE HOME OF MY OLD ENEMIES?
THE JUSTICE LEAGUE DISBANDED LIKE A BUNCH OF *QUITTERS*.
IT WILL TAKE MORE THAN A HAUNTED HOUSE TO FRIGHTEN SOMEONE SUCH AS MYSELF.
SO, SKIP THE BLOODY TOUR AND TELL ME WHAT YOU WANT.
ONCE I FIND MY *DREAMSTONE* AND REGAIN CONTROL OF THIS REALM, YOU WILL PAY FOR THIS...
...INSULT...?


AH!
NO! STAY AWAY!
HOW ARE YOU DOING THIS?!
YOU'RE NOT *REAL!* YOU'RE NOT--
WHAT...
WHAT IS WRONG WITH YOUR *EYES...?*


WHERE IS
THE NIGHTMARE STONE?!
YOU CAN'T HAVE IT!
NO ONE CAN! DON'T--
AAAAAAAAHHHH!

THE STORY CONTINUES IN

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FIRST BLOOD

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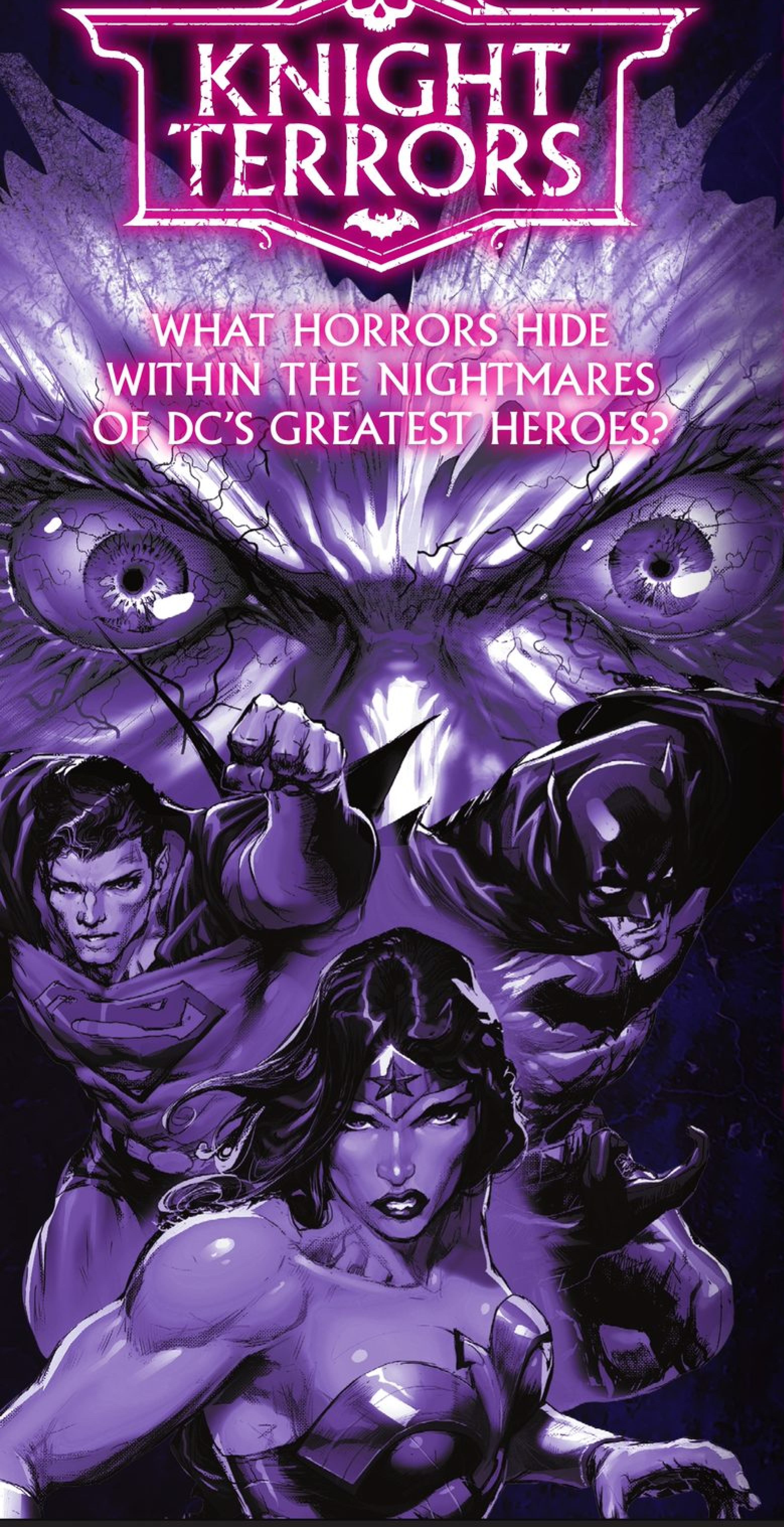

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JULY 4
☐ *Knight Terrors: First Blood #1*
☐ *Knight Terrors: Batman #1*
☐ *Knight Terrors: Black Adam #1*
☐ *Knight Terrors: Poison Ivy #1*
☐ *Knight Terrors: Ravager #1*
☐ *Knight Terrors: The Joker #1*

JULY 11
☐ *Knight Terrors #1*
☐ *Knight Terrors: Green Lantern #1*
☐ *Knight Terrors: Robin #1*
☐ *Knight Terrors: Shazam! #1*
☐ *Knight Terrors: The Flash #1*
☐ *Knight Terrors: Zatanna #1*

JULY 18
☐ *Knight Terrors: Catwoman #1*
☐ *Knight Terrors: Nightwing #1*
☐ *Knight Terrors: Punchline #1*
☐ *Knight Terrors: Superman #1*
☐ *Knight Terrors: Wonder Woman #1*

JULY 25
☐ *Knight Terrors #2*
☐ *Knight Terrors: Action Comics #1*
☐ *Knight Terrors: Angel Breaker #1*
☐ *Knight Terrors: Detective Comics #1*
☐ *Knight Terrors: Harley Quinn #1*
☐ *Knight Terrors: Titans #1*

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